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SILVER CAMPAIGN

Now Making Rapid Progress Everywhere.

McKINLEY CANNOT CARRY HIS OWN STATE.

Maine Democrats to Get Into Line.

The campaign goes bravely on all over the country and the indications are that Bryan and Sewall will sweep several states which have been considered strongly republican and which Mark Hanna has set down for his candidate and party.

Even Ohio. McKinley's stamping ground, is said to be silver crazy so much so that even Hanna thinks he will not be able to buy enough votes to carry the state for the party. Judge Ditter, a gold democrat of Ohio, speaking of the silver sentiment in that state says:

"I never saw such a situation in politics before," he said. "Many waves of sentiment have swept over Ohio; but I have never seen anything like the present. In the country districts the silver sentiment is intense. Every man you see is loaded with arguments, and there is no use trying to talk with him.

"The silver men have been reading everything they could get hold of on their side of the question, until they can outtalk Harvey. They are as glibas possible with arguments which I regard as false, but which they are satisfied with, and they will dance all over any man who says gold. It has become a sort of religion with them and they will not listen to nor tolerate opposition. You can't make any impression on them any more than you can argue a man out of his religious faith. The thing has spread so that I regard the result in the state as doubtful, and perhaps with the probability favorable to Bryan.

At all events, it is by no means certain that McKinley can carry the state. The normal republican majority is about 25,000. That is the safe natural republican majority. There are about 52,000 populist votes and 20,000 prohibition votes. Bryan will probably get 30,000 populist votes and 15,000 prohibition. That is, he will get the silver votes of these two parties.

"In the cities there will be a considerable gold democratic vote for McKinley; in the country districts there will be a large silver republican vote for Bryan. These may pretty nearly offset each other, though it looks as if Bryan would get more republican votes in the country than he will lose democrats in the cities.

"There is hardly anything but silver talked throughout the state. The men around he threshing machines at lunch time, the groups around the country stores and about the village hotels, republicans and democrats head to head, are talking about the money question. Men who never before could talk together without punching each others' heads are hand-in-hand, or are talking the matter over from different standpoints in a sympathetic spirit. If any one says gold there will at once be half a dozen men to jump on him.

"I had a gold bug on my coat. A farmer came up to me and took hold of my coat collar, and held the goldbug button up to view. 'That's the bug that got into our wheat,' he said, 'and reduced it 50 per cent.' It is silver, silver, silver, all through the country districts.

At the state democratic convention in Michigan to be held next month, it is intended to put up a fusion ticket which the populists will endorse and support. By that means the state can be easily carried for Bryan and Sewall.

Ex-Gov. Thayer of Nebraska, in talking with McKinley said Bryan would not carry Nebraska but it is generally conceded that Mr. Thayer was talking through his sombrero.

Wakefield in Line.

The town committee of Wakefield met last night and endorsed the Chicago platform and ticket, and pledged its support to Hon. George Fred Williams.

There is yet some slight confusion over the populist ticket. Mr. Bryan's views are awaited with interest while Watson says the populists should have nominated two men of their own party.

All readers of the Sun, when in Boston, are invited to call at the Bryan and Sewall headquarters, 127A Tremont street. The state organization has been perfected.

Rep. Mellen, well known over the state, in speaking of the campaign says that such men as Gargan and Senator Corbett will be all right when the time comes, but it is such men as Mathews, attorneys for big corporations that are trying to hold on to the strings. But there are hundreds ready to jump on the band wagon when the music begins to play.

At the Capitol.

Washington, July 30.—It is stated at the Democratic congressional campaign committee headquarters that the entire force is buried under the demands for literature to be used in the campaign. In reply to a question as to whether inquiries were for silver literature, the official in charge responded: "Entirely, we get no other requests." The committee is far behind its orders in the matter of documents, and a larger force will be employed in the mailing and folding departments.

At the headquarters of the Republican congressional campaign committee there seems to be a larger force employed, and already tons of documents are being sent out. Vice Chairman Apsley says that the demand is for financial literature and tariff literature. The committee is now supplying a very large amount of tariff documents to every section of the country.

The Silver forces came to Washington yesterday to make arrangements for temporary headquarters. These headquarters will be maintained until the Democratic national committee headquarters are permanently established. The Silver headquarters will be established at the same place.

McKinley Gets Bust of Himself.

Canton, O., July 30.—A committee from the University of Chicago yesterday called on Major McKinley, as the representative of the Republican club of that school, to pay their respects to the Republican candidate and to present to him a life-sized marble bust of himself. The bust was made by Hans Hirsch, the noted sculptor of that city. The bust is finished in American parian marble, mounted on a mahogany plaque.

Bryan Republicans Barred.

Denver, July 30.—The Colorado Republican state central committee yesterday passed a resolution endorsing McKinley and Hobart, and ruling all Republicans who had announced themselves for Bryan and Sewall out of the deliberations of the party.

Around Boston.

The gold men were confident yesterday that the Hon. Thomas J. Gargan would make the contest with the Hon. George Fred Williams for the democratic nomination for governor. The very fact that Mr. Gargan at the conference in ex-Mayor Matthew's office did not forthwith decline the proffered honor, is the source of their confidence that he will stand. Mr. Gargan himself has kept his personal views to himself, only it is understood that he intended to consult his physician to ascertain if his health would permit him to enter upon a vigorous and desperately fought campaign. A favorable reply is expected of him tomorrow.

The silver men are not alarmed in the slightest over the situation, even with Gargan in it. They say that Williams, with the prestige of Bryan and Sewall behind him, will sweep every democratic ward in the city and will go into the convention overwhelmingly ahead. Mr. Williams will be kept pretty busy on the stump from now till the November election. He seems to thoroughly enjoy the fight now on and his lieutenants claim that he has already won it.

Chairman Corcoran will sail for Europe next week, and will not return until somewhere near the middle of September. During his absence the affairs of the democratic party will be looked after by the Hon. John H. Sullivan of East Boston, formerly an alderman, and long the treasurer of the committee. Today a meeting will be held at headquarters, at which time Chairman Corcoran will give his final instructions as to the management of the coming campaign during his trip abroad.

Williams' Dates.

The busiest man in the whole city these days is the Hon. George Fred Williams. Every mail brings him scores of letters, many are of congratulatory order, and many are applications for speaking dates. Two stenographers are kept busy with his correspondence, and yesterday it was announced that he would speak as follows: Aug. 1, Newport, Vt.; Aug. 3, West Lynn; Aug. 4, New Haven, Conn.; Aug. 6, Newport. No open air meeting will be considered, and in the latter part of August he will take a rest of ten days. Requests for other speakers are pouring in and Mr. T. W. Coakely is engaged for Weymouth tonight.

Bryan in Boston.

The Hon. William J. Bryan will speak in Boston at no distant day. He will first visit Mr. Sewall in Bath, Me., and then return by way of Boston. Mechanic's hall will be engaged, and his admirers say it won't be big enough to hold the crowd that will flock to hear him.

ONE OF THOSE GAMES

Where Fun is Superior to Science—The Hobans Meet Defeat at Mountain Rock.

Mountain Rock was, yesterday, the scene of another gory base ball battle in which the Hoban Pets, heretofore undefeated and the Burns Pets, a new organization, crossed bats on the green sward. The Hobans have been defeating the Cushings and other teams and consequently thought they were invincible but being original they went up against their Waterloo a few months ahead of McKinley and hence there was no rejoicing at the Lowell inn last night while Joe Cassidy, who twirled for the Hobans, could not be found. Joe thinks he is a pitcher and his friends are willing to let it go at that.

The nines were somewhat differently composed than heretofore, and by the way, who is Burns? Why, Willie Burns of Belvidere, the old time ball player in Henry O'Brien's class. Willie captained the Burns' Pets and they were hot stuff too. Among them were Denny Murphy of the Emeralds and Percy Kane of the same team, then there was Murphy of the Mathews, Tom Connors, brother of Roger of Walla Walla fame, and there was Henry O'Brien, Billy Fitzgerald, Magee, the professional, Hugh Duffy of North Chelmsford and of course little Willie Burns himself.

On the Hoban's there were Cassidy, the artistic pitcher, artistic if nothing else, Courtney, who used to pitch for the Putney Hoeys', little Willie Conway from Beth Sadler, who worked without martingales, Rolleo, who could play ball to beat the orchestra, Jimmie Conners, the suburban wonder, McGrath, McCarthy and Billy O'Hara, all experts in their line. Young Hoban played one inning, foreseeing the beating his pets were going to get, he wisely decided to go home.

The Hoban's made a good start but ere the eight innings had been played they were out of it. Florrie Murphy umpired until well he thought it was time to go home anyway, and Dan Sullivan took his place but there was no need of him for all the good he did. The score by innings was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Hobans	3	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	7
Burns	1	0	2	4	5	0	1	2	15

POLICE NOTES.

At the roll call in the police station, last evening, Lieut. Kew announced that Officer Willis L. Gardner, was fined 30 days' pay for neglect of duty, or violation of rule 16.

Last March Frank Garland of Adams street complained to the police that his brother-in-law, Bernard Coughlin had stolen his suit of clothes. Bernard left the city and remained away till today. This morning he was seen coming down Middlesex street and Inspectors Laflamme and Allen arrested him.

PERSONAL.

Philip J. Farley, Esq., is at Nantasket Beach for a few days.

The boys up around the North common enjoy a bath in the common pond every day.

Several Lowell persons will attend the Bryan ratification meeting in New York Aug. 12.

Chairman Pearson of the democratic city committee is spending a few days in the country.

Miss Letina A. Whitney entertained a party of friends at her home on Westford street last evening.

Mrs. Thomas Gorman and Miss Matilda McCormack of South street are at Long pond for a few weeks.

Mr. Oliver J. Chalifoux connected with J. L. Chalifoux's store in Birmingham, Ala., is visiting in this city.

Miss Lizzie Duffy of New York is visiting the Misses Kelly of Andover street for a few weeks. On her return home she will visit Cottage City.

The Lowell Ice Company's 16 to 1 Estimate.

That is about all you can hear on the street, and when speaking of these mystic numbers, it of course means a money standard, but that is all politics, but when housekeepers are talking about pure crystal lake ice, that is about the difference in favor when compared with river ice that is heavily loaded with germs. The Lowell Ice Co. are having all that they can do to supply their patrons during this hot spell, but they intend to keep pace with the times, so that anyone who desires to have this superior quality of ice are sure to be supplied. There is always room for a good thing, and their patrons have the satisfaction of knowing that there is nothing better than the best, and that the Lowell Ice company is the best. If you have not tried it, start now when the heated weather makes everybody feel like having a cool drink. Remember you can get them by telephone, or drop them a card, and you will find you will get more ice in quality and quantity, and that it will go further than any other by a majority of 16 to 1.

2 O'CLOCK

REED'S FIRST GUN

Was Fired at Alfred, Me. Last Night.

HE WANTS TO DODGE THE CURRENCY ISSUE.

He Tries to Discredit the Free Silver Movement.

Alfred, Me., July 30.—A York county Republican mass meeting was addressed yesterday afternoon by Curtis S. Guild of Boston, and Speaker Reed.

Mr. Reed's opening words were these: "If I were going to give good advice to the people of the whole United States I should take this time to do it. Just now there is a great deal of froth and foam in the air, and some time is really needful to disclose clearly to every eye how much of it is the result of the temporary breeze which stills at nightfall, and how little there is of that heavy ground swell which shows that great elementary forces are at work. How very suddenly all this rush and stir has set itself into action."

After reviewing the situation, Mr. Reed said:

"If the demonetization of silver is a disease at all, it is a world disease. I defy anybody to find a single argument which proves that the demonetization of silver would be good for the United States, that does not prove that it would be good for the whole world. If it is a world disease, how can it be reached except by a world remedy? International bimetalism I can understand, but this driving out of gold and substitution of silver is only silver monometalism for the United States. It is not bimetalism for the world and a stable currency; but the shifting from gold currency and civilized Europe and going over to silver and Mexico, Japan, India and China. Oh, but China and Japan, India and Mexico are prosperous just now! Yes, but what kind of prosperity? The prosperity of cheap labor, growing cheaper every day. Manufacturers there may be prosperous and traders may be prosperous, but the people are not prosperous at all. Up here in Maine and New Hampshire paper pulp is made cheap. How? Because the manufacturer is close to cheap labor. In silver countries labor is cheap and kept cheap by the silver dollar. For my part I do not want that kind of prosperity. I want a prosperity which, by good wages to all, is shared by all. We want a broader life, broadened every day for all our people.

"I won't discuss the question whether the free coinage of silver will raise it to par or not. Very few people claim that it will, and if they did, I could not believe them. I was told in 1890, by two of the most sincere, as well as the ablest silver men, that the purchase of 4,500,000 ounces a month would raise silver to par, and when they did buy it silver went down like lead. Silver men have not been good prophets in the past. If, then, we are going to have a dollar inferior to what we have today, what will be the effect of it? Higher prices, they say. Not for everything. If you have $100 in the savings bank today you can get 100 gold dollars from the bank. If this wild project succeeds, and you are paid in silver, you will get the $100, but they will be 50 or 60 or 70 cent dollars. If you have a pension, that must be scaled down. If you have a bond, that goes down, too. Will the wage-earner be any better off? What you buy will go up. Will your wages go up, too? There you have experience to guide you. Wages during greenback times, measured in gold, did not go up as other things did. They went part way, but not all the way up, and were very slow about that. But wouldn't business be better for more money? It might be after a terrible crash with bad currency, and then we would have to get back again. Brandy may seem to strengthen, but plain bread and meat are the surest. What we want is not more money, but more capital. Money always comes with capital. We have money now, more than we can use, lying idle. We have just exported a lot of it. Money is the transferrer of capital, as a hayrack and horse is a transferrer of hay. More hayracks will never make more hay, but more hay will require more hayracks, and is sure to get them.

"We have been through all this once before. The Greenbackers of 1878 were not bad men. They were sincere, and had a better case than the silver men of today. In fact, it was much the same case. We must have artificial inflation and cheaper money, they said, or blackest ruin awaits us. It was a hard time. Prices were low and work was scarce; taxes were heavy and debts hard to pay, but we persevered, and resumed specie payments. From that moment the capital of the world was at our disposal. We had a good tariff, which makes us do all our own work, and from 1879 to 1893, 14 years of prosperity, which placed the United States in a great position in the world. If we do the like thing today, like things will follow.

"With revenues equal to our emergencies, undue export of gold will cease. With the certainty that the dollar paid will be equal to the dollar lent will come credit and confidence. With that other certainty that we are to do all our own work will come the earning of wages, steadily increasing, which is the basis of that prosperity which is alone worthy of this great nation, the prosperity of the whole people."

The Morton Boom.

Nebraska City, Neb., July 30.—Hon J. Sterling Morton has been petitioned by a large number of Nebraska Democrats to deliver a lecture on finance before he leaves the state. He has not yet indicated a disposition to comply. It is hinted that this is a part of the plan by which the Morton boom for president on the ticket of the Morton wing of the Democratic party is to be furthered.

To Hold Another Convention.

Augusta, Me., July 30.—There was a meeting of the Dmocratic state committee last evening, for the purpose of considering if there should be a convention for the nomination of a candidate for governor in place of Mr. Winslow, who recently declined. A few were in favor of having the committee decide on a new candidate, so the only thing to do was to decide on a new convention. Portland and Bangor being the only places presented, it was thought best to take some place between, rather than have any discussion, and Waterville was chosen as the place, Aug. 6. The meeting was private, no newspaper men being allowed.

Each Should Be by Itself.

Boston, July 30.—Mayor Quincy has sent a communication to the Boston park commissioners, relative to the Castle Island accident and the inquest report of Judge Fallon, which blames both the city and the park commissioners. His honor urges the necessity of divorcing the engineering department from that of the parks, and advises that hereafter the park commissioners directly control their employes and hire their own engineers. He deplored the placing of the park police in the control of the police department, for the same reason.

A Thirteen-Years-Old Slasher.

Providence, July 30.—Willie Davis, a 13-year-old boy, for the six months past has spent most of his time torturing little children in the neighborhood of the North End, and his father has been repeatedly warned that a continuation of the acts would result in arrest. Yesterday, the boy saw Willie Chase, aged 7, walking down the street, and running up behind him, Davis drew a razor across the throat of the Chase boy. A police officer, who witnessed the act, chased young Davis for 20 minutes, and as last succeeded in arresting him. Chase will probably recover.

Wedding Day Approaches.

Newport, R. I., July 30.—There is an unusual activity at the villa of R. T. Wilson, on Narragansett road. The marriage of Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., to Miss Grace Wilson is expected to take place on Saturday next. Miss Wilson and Mr. Vanderbilt have been busy shopping. None of the family would either deny or affirm the rumor that the wedding was to take place on Saturday. Young Mr. Vanderbilt left his father's house Tuesday, and took rooms at the Hotel Savoy, where he will remain until after the wedding.

Hoarding Continues.

Washington, July 30.—While the export of gold seems to have been completely checked, for the time being, at least, there are signs that hoarding is still going on to some extent. Yesterday's statement of withdrawals, for instance, shows that of the $321,200 of gold taken from the treasury, $205,400 was in coin, and only $16,200 was in bars for use in the arts. During the day, $60,000 in gold coin was received at the treasury, making the balance stand at $106,300,704.

Worden Must Hang.

San Francisco, July 30.—In the case of S. D. Worden, the railroad striker, charged with wrecking the railway bridge near Sacramento two years ago, and thereby causing the death of four men, the supreme court yesterday handed down a decision in which it affirmed the judgment of the superior court, where Worden was convicted of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to hang.

Colored Pugilist's Last Fight.

Salt Lake City, July 30.—Thomas Carter of Tucson, A.T., who was knocked out in a 12-round contest with Bob Thompson in his city, Tuesday night, by a terrific blow on the chin, never recovered consciousness, and died yesterday. Thompson is under arrest. Both were colored men. There is talk of taking action against the athletic club.

Ex-Officials Sent to Prison.

Pittsburg, July 30.—Ex-City Attorney Moreland, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling city funds, was yesterday sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. W. H. House, ex-assistant city attorney, convicted of aiding and abetting Moreland, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years and three months.

Kruger Says Nothing.

Pretoria, July 30.—The public here generally are surprised at the leniency of the sentence in the cases of Dr. Jameson and his associates. President Kruger has been interviewed on the subject, but declined to express an opinion.

The Stetson Will Case.

Boston, July 30.—The attorney for John Stetson, Jr., announces that an appeal will be taken from the decision of Judge Grant, in allowing the will of the late John Stetson, to the Suffolk county supreme judicial court.

After Long Vacation.

Providence, July 30.—Work at the Allen print works will be resumed on Monday next, after a shutdown of 13 weeks. This means employment for about 300 persons.

Noted Character Dead.

Rome, July 30.—Signor Tanlongo, formerly governor of the Banca Romana, is dead. Signor Tanlongo was the central figure in the Banca Romana scandals, which was to Italy what the Panama canal scandal was to France, and which caused the overthrow of one ministry, tarnished the fame of many men in public life, and sowed widespread suspicion of corruption and dishonesty throughout Italian public life. Governor Tanlongo was accused of having fraudulently appropriated 23,000,000 francs from the bank, and of having, in order to conceal this misappropriation, altered the books and accounts current, and added fictitious accounts.

Plymouth's Celebration.

Plymouth, Mass., July 30.—The historical festival, representing old Plymouth days and ways, and instituted for the purpose of raising funds for a bell tower on the First Parish church, opened here last night, and will last a week. The First church was burned four years ago, and while the society has rebuilt, there were not funds enough to elect the bell tower. The bell is a revolutionary relic, having been cast by Paul Revere, and survived the fire. A large number of the summer residents became interested in the project, and the festival was arranged. Nearly 1500 people attended yesterday, and numerous scenes of Puritan life were enacted. Many of the actors were lineal descendants of the Pilgrims.

Crack Bicycle Racer Killed.

Lima, O., July 30.—Joseph Greidler of Minneapolis, a crack bicycle circuit racer, was killed here yesterday. Greidler was probably overcome by the heat, for he left the track, ran straight into the crowd, and was thrown upon a fence, receiving injuries which resulted in his death one hour later. Greidler was in the lead in a half-mile open race at the time the accident occurred.

HE'S GETTING DIZZY.

AND THE STORM HAS JUST BEGUN.

DEATHS.

MARTIN—Mr. Bernard Martin died yesterday at the residence of C. W. Holmes, at Long pond, of a lingering illness. He leaves five children, Mrs. M. J. Sullivan, Bernard J. Martin, Mrs. Edward Kelly, Jr., of Canada, Mr. John R. Martin of Woonsocket and Mrs. C. W. Holmes. He was a lifelong resident of Lowell and worked in the carpet mills for many years as mason and was well known by old residents.

CLAPP—Sarah A. Clapp, a maiden lady, aged 50 years, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her brother, Charles Clapp, 1296 Middlesex street. Deceased had been ill for a long time. The remains will be forwarded to Royalton, Vt., for interment.

GILL—Dennis F. Gill, aged 18 years, son of Peter and Ellen E. Gill, died last evening at their home, 223 Lincoln street. Funeral at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

MURPHY—Timothy Murphy, aged 59 years, died last evening at his home, 94 Common street. He leaves a wife and family. One of his sons is Patrick Murphy of St. Patrick's Cadet band. Funeral at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

McGILLIAN—Kate McGillian, aged 5 years, daughter of Michael and Rose McGillian, died last evening at their home in East Chelmsford. The funeral took place this afternoon and was largely attended. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

MOONEY—Margaret V. Mooney, child of John and Bridget Mooney, died yesterday afternoon at their home, rear of 396 Market street. The funeral was held this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

To Sail for Europe.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's agency to leave Boston on the Cunard line steamer Cephalonia for a three month's stay in the old country: Mrs. Emeline Leary, Albert Leary, Mr. John Kennedy, Mr. Sydney C. Wilmott, Mary Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Booth, James Lane, Mary Williams, Mrs. Mary A. Bushby, Florence and Stella Bushby, Mrs. John Grant, James and Jessie W. Grant, Mrs. Mary Moloney, John J. and Mary E. Maloney, Robert Arneill and James R. Hastings.

Free Ride Sale.

O'Sullivan Bros., the popular shoe dealers on Merrimack street, will inaugurate a grand free ride sale on next Saturday. Any purchaser to the amount of $1 will get one ticket good for a ride in any direction on the electrics. See ad.

Marriage Intention.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

James S. Ryder 30, to Isabella Moore 20.
Simon Poprocez 27, to Mary Mosuda 18.

FREE RIDE
ON THE ELECTRICS
DURING AUGUST
O'SULLIVAN BROS.
Offer to Their Patrons

With every purchase amounting to $1.00 and over.

Hundreds of People Ask

Why we don't establish branch stores in different sections of the city.

OUR ANSWER.

The electric road reaching out into the farthest parts of the city with our free ride system fully answers the demand and brings the people to our door.

These tickets are good at any time over the lines of the Lowell & Suburban road in any direction and you receive one with every purchase of shoes from $1. and upwards beginning Saturday Aug. 1st. Our

SEMI-ANNUAL MARKDOWN
of all kinds of
FOOTWEAR

For young and old of both sexes is now in full swing. Now is the time one dollar does the work of two in purchasing Shoes of us.

Look at the Bargains in our Windows

O'SULLIVAN BROS

The Feet Fitters. Opposite City Hall.

CLEAR, COOL AND REFRESHING

is the Lager and Ales that are to be had at McFadden's saloon. Just the thing to build you up these warm days. McFadden's Wine rooms, opp. New Post Office, Gorham street.

COAL IS GOING UP, Don't burn it. Order a load of Slabs from COGGER & CO., 23 Concord St. Our Slabs are dry and free from knots. Large load for $1.00.

MR. FIFIELD INTERVIEWED

ON THE MONEY QUESTION AND FOR GOLD.

He Stands With the Bankers of the Country as Might be Expected—What He Says.

In an interview with a morning paper Hon. George W. Fifield is quoted as follows on the money question:

"The money question", said he, "is unfortunately the least understood by the public at large and with all his intelligence the American citizen is really altogether at sea concerning all it implies.

"The two expressions gold and silver party means of themselves really nothing to the layman. If they are to be intelligently understood, great care should be taken to study the question in all its intricate bearings.

"Gold or silver as referred to at present in a general way, when talking about 16 to 1 or simular well circulated expressions, have no special significance to the casual observer or reader unless they are accompanied by details of such provisions as the gold or silver acts or laws imply.

"The real, the genuine, the honest and non-partisan question is this," continued the busy banker, looking over a lot of letters, checks and such like, which lay before him; "Will the United States government deliberately destroy the monetary standard—gold? Of course it is well understood that if our national government issues, or authorizes an issue, such issue redeemable in gold, this is naturally the general standard, and it is pretty much the standard all over the world.

"But personally I find myself in a rather unpleasant situation. Let me make my meaning perfectly clear: The democratic party have come out with a pronounced and radical free silver platform and free silver candidates. I am in sympathy with neither, leaving personalities and merits or demerits altogether out of the present discussion. The republican party stands upon a strict and unequivocal gold platform—good enough—that is what we all want. But, you see there is a but, and I might as well tell the Mail exactly how I feel in the matter. I do not quite like the non-committal behavior of the republican candidate. He should have been more outspoken, I think. He had time enough to state his views on the silver question. Why did he not do it? And, then, was he not acceptable even to the silver delegates, before the hairbrained proceedings in Chicago, put such an unexpected aspect upon the entire money question? I ask you candidly, had not Mr. McKinley done wiser, and were it not more confidence-inspiring, if he had come out squarely and stated his position in reference to the suffrage and the campaign issues in so many words?

"As to my own personal plans? Well, sir, there you have got me. I would really not like to say anything for publication regarding what I intend doing, or whether I again will be actively interested in this fall's campaign. You see, it would not do for me to put myself forward by saying one thing or another under the present circumstances and my present attitude toward the democratic party. But when the time comes I will not hesitate to state my position."

LOCAL NOTES.

Michael J. Lynch has returned from a trip to the Adirondacks.

The pay roll of the school department this month amounts to but $250.

The track at the Fair grounds will be in fine condition for the S. C. W. races, Saturday if the rain keeps off.

A number of the Catholic clergymen of the city and several seminarians are enjoying an outing at Long pond today.

The last call! The final crash has come on summer goods at Chris Holmes' specialty store. All must be turned into money. $1.00 today buys three dollar's worth. See his adv.

Kittredge's Men on Strike.

A. H. Kittredge's stone cutters at work on the Granite street bridge at Manchester struck Tuesday for a nine hour day and time and a half for over work.

To Build State Highway

The bids for rough surfacing and building culverts for the state highway to Tyngsboro from the boulevard, as opened in the office of county commission, are as follows: C. H. Hanson & Co., $5608.60; B. G. Brown, $5696.20; Cyrus Barton, $5188; Connors Bros., $5017; E. Lawrence of Tyngsboro, $4323, and got the contract.

INTEREST BEGINS

August 1st. in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank at the ratio of four per cent. per annum, on money deposited before 4 p. m., Monday, Aug. 3rd. Interest compounded semi-annually. Bank hours, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily. Saturdays, 8 a. m. to 1 p. m., and Saturday evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock.

GOING OUT OF TOWN?

Many times a Mackintosh coat will do double duty: it is a protection against rain of course, and on a pinch answers for a light weight top coat.

We have both: mackintoshes—the guaranteed kind, —$5.00 to $15.—top coats, $8.00 to $20.

Sole leather cases, iron frames, linen lined, $5.00 to $7.00.

Negligee shirts, Garner percales—usually a dollar, now 50c.

PUTNAM & SON,
166 Central Street.

The Magnificent Nathan J.

The recent utterances of Nathan Mathews, Jr., in which he vilified the southern and western democrats as "white trash and anarchists," is interesting for its audacity and impudence.

Who is Nathan Matthews, Jr.? He is the son of a real estate dealer of the same name, whose personality and career have not made a profound impression on the age. The junior Matthews is an illustration of the futility of raising adders if you expect to be bitten by them.

Nathan Matthews was one of a number of impecunious, inconsequential, young persons, who emerged from the obscurity of pettifoggery in the days when a brigade of super-virtuous individuals mugwumped out of the republican party. Until that historic moment Nathan and his brethren were to fame and fortune unknown. They posed as a superior, nay, a celestial, band of young statesmen, took them seriously, and had a keen eye for the main chance. The democratic party took them up, put ideas into their empty heads, dollars into their empty pockets, and gave them place and importance.

As do all beggars on horseback, they began to ride to the devil.

Nathan became a reformer with a capital R, and was made a mayor by the party. From reformer he developed into a boss, not a mere vulgar ward room boss, but a boss with a halo. Some men are mayors of Boston. Nathan was emperor of it; an imperial, head-tossing, star-eyed autocrat. He felt his oats, he pawed the air, he carried weights in his boots to keep him on the vulgar earth. Suddenly the fiery-eyed reformer of monopolists and trusts passed with meteoric splendor from the role of political purist to the gilt-edged job of running the business he had so ostentatiously attacked. As the paid creature of trusts he was unable to tolerate attacks on vested interests and all the other fol de rol so dear to the heart and tongue of the conservators of society. Suddenly Addicks threw down the junior Nathan and a mere cop in New York made him settle for a telephone message or go to the cooler. Here was a drop for the ex-czar of Boston. Then like all the tribe of shop-worn reformers, whose heads have grown out of all proportion to what they term his brains, he became a mere everyday mercenary, trading with trusts on the glamor gained from the votes of the common democracy.

Whitney's little tin gladiator now defies the democracy and threatens to hurl it from the globe and is in a dreadful state of mind. He has not inspected the fish wharves of Boston in vain. As view his diatribes about "white trash and anarchists." The southern slave owner vowed to count his slaves and call their roll in the shadow of Bunker Hill. He failed but Nathan junior, promises to do the job for his masters now and call the roll of his slaves anywhere in Massachusetts, Bunker Hill or Beacon Hill.

Won't somebody please turn the hose on Nathan and assure him that what he calls his principles and his conscience are merely his paymasters and his plunder. He is swollen like the frog who wished to be taken for an ox. It is about time that Nathan and his bolting, golden brethren were spanked and turned adrift to earn an honest living if he can. He is just now only very, very wearisome. This Caesar's business without Caesar's legions is a trifle ridiculous. Mr. Matthews should realize that he is no longer in the legitimate drama, he is now only a comic opera star soon to disappear from the public gaze.

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Now is the vacation season, and it is not surprising to find some of the factories closing for a week or two.

It is not often that rain starts a fire, but the rain of yesterday morning caused a stubborn fire in Livingston's coal yard.

Hon. Thomas J. Gargan of Boston, is not the stamp of a democrat who bolts when his individual interests are involved.

The people of Lowell are anxiously awaiting the outcome of the horse deal. The taxpayers of the city will rejoice if the grand jury indicts the horse traders.

The democrats of Maine will get together again on August 6, to endorse the platform and ticket of the Chicago convention. The state committee of Maine is all right.

When the mortgages on Stetson's property are lifted, the net amount will not be so large as expected. If divided among the half dozen alleged wives it would not enrich them.

The Young Men's Democratic club of Boston should hurry out of existence. It has outlived its usefulness, and remains only as a reproach to the democracy of Massachusetts.

Now a McKinley flag waves in Pawtucketville and everybody is happy, we presume. The flag will do no harm. Its unfurling was attended by hundreds of men whose refusal to turn out would have led to their discharge from the mills. They were mostly French and Greeks who do the bidding of their bosses in such cases and vote as they please on election day.

The advocates of the gold standard do not seem to realize that free silver would afford the best protection to American manufacturers and American labor. It would put the prices so high that England could not afford to compete in our markets. The price of labor would move upward with the increased price of goods, and all kinds of industries in this country would start on a career of prosperity.

We give credit to Patrick Maguire of Boston who went to Chicago and fought with all his might for the gold standard, but when defeated said he was willing to abide by the will of the majority, and to turn out and work for the election of Bryan and Sewall. Bravo Maguire, that is the course of the true democrat. Now give up Moran and stand by Hon. George Fred Williams.

The silver sentiment is stronger in Lowell than is generally supposed. The so-called sound money league of New York has for the past two years been steadily sending its literature throughout the country. It is time the silver advocates established bureaus for the distribution of free silver literature, because there seems to be no subject upon which there is such gross ignorance as upon this question of the currency, or free coinage of silver.

Tom Reed at Alfred, Me., last night uttered the keynote of his campaign. He gets behind the currency issue, goes back to calamity talk and scouts the "silver party's mushroom issue." This is no mushroom issue however; it has been coming to the front since 1873. It has been reducing values and robbing debtors during all that time and now the masses are up in arms for its settlement. If the gold standard remained fixed there would be no complaint, but it has been appreciating ever since silver was demonetized, robbing debtor for creditor on time contracts and robbing the United States for England and other foreign investors.

THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

DEMOCRACY'S PROSPECTS

BRILLIANT OUTLOOK FOR SUCCESS IN NOVEMBER.

208 Electoral Votes Certain—Indiana and Illinois Give Every Hope of Victory—Careful and Conservative Estimate Gives Bryan a Majority in the Electoral College.

It is universally conceded that there will be a considerable bolt from the Republican party in all the states west of the Mississippi, while the Democrats will lose very few votes. As a matter of fact the Democracy, in all those states has been running on free silver platforms for the last four years. Whatever Democratic element will refuse to support Bryan because of the silver plank in the platform was lost four years ago. The silver Republicans constitute from 5 to 75 per cent of their party in these states, but while they will increase the Democratic majority they are not essential to it.

The Republicans had majorities in only two states west of the Mississippi in 1892, Iowa and Wyoming. They carried Minnesota and Nebraska, it is true, but only by a division of the bimetallists. With Bryan at the head of the ticket there is no danger of Nebraska to the Democratic ticket. Minnesota may possibly be considered doubtful. There is a Democratic-Populist majority there of 5,400, but there are some goldbug Democrats. As, however, a big bolt from the Republican party on the silver issue, headed by the lieutenant governor and two congressmen, has already taken place, the chances are decidedly in favor of Democratic success.

South of the Ohio there are but two states which can be considered in any way doubtful—Kentucky and West Virginia. Indeed, in most of the other southern states the Republican party is prosilver, and thousands of former Republican votes will go to the Democratic ticket on that issue.

The principal reason for classing Kentucky as Republican is that it went for that party by a small majority in the late state election. This is a very poor reason for expecting it to be Republican in the presidential contest. Colonel Wat Hardin, the Democratic candidate for governor, made the contest last year under the most disadvantageous circumstances. He ran on a goldbug platform, which he opposed and which lost him thousands of Populist votes. The gold men worked assiduously to defeat him, and the gold men were much stronger then than they are now. There has been a wonderful awakening in Kentucky on the financial issue, as was shown in the late Democratic primaries, when the state, which the goldbugs had carried but a few months before, was swept for silver. When we remember by how slim a majority the Democracy was defeated in Kentucky on a goldbug platform, no one can doubt its success today.

But we have not taken into consideration the central western states, where the campaign will be waged. There will doubtless be a campaign in Ohio, but we do not at present see any chance of success there. On the other hand, Indiana and Illinois give every hope of victory. Indiana has always leaned that way, but Illinois promises even better. There is a handsome margin of 49,200 in that state. Moreover, the Republican strength is concentrated in the rural districts, and it is the farmers who feel the oppression of goldbugism most and have joined the bimetallic ranks in consequence. Nowhere in all the country has the silver question been studied more carefully, and nowhere have there been so many converts. Unless we are greatly mistaken, Illinois will be for Bryan by a large majority.

With Illinois he can dispense with all the doubtful states and have eight votes to spare. There will be a pretty fight in both Michigan and Wisconsin, where the Democracy will undoubtedly lose many votes because of its silver plank, but where already there has been a big bolt from the Republicans on this same issue. How this interchange of votes will affect the result can be guessed at only wildly. In fine, Mr. Bryan starts out with 208 votes sure and the following in the doubtful column:

Illinois	24
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
Michigan	14
West Virginia	6
Wisconsin	12
Total	84

If he gets all of them, he will have 58 more than he needs and a majority of 115, but this is scarcely likely. Of course the silver plank has damaged the Democratic prospects in the east and perhaps lost New Jersey, Connecticut and New York with its large electoral vote. The Democratic losses will be mainly in states where they will do no more than increasing McKinley's majorities; their gains will be in close states, which they will bring over to the Democratic column.

The nomination of a goldbug Democratic ticket would probably help the silver cause rather than injure it, for it will prevent the goldbug Democrats from going over to McKinley, where most of them are likely to otherwise land. Altogether the Democratic outlook is brilliant since it took up the Democratic fight for free silver, when, only a few weeks ago, it was recognized by all to be hopeless.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Qualified to Lead.

There is no doubt that by his talents, his will and his knowledge of men William J. Bryan is exceptionally qualified for the leadership of the great party which has honored him by practically electing him to the presidency.—Kansas City Times.

The Chicago convention was an assemblage of the people. Brave men were there pleading the cause of a nation, the cause of the masses against the classes, of prosperity against ruin.—Omaha World-Herald.

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Rome gradually reduced her currency to a less volume and a finer metal. Very soon after the commencement of this contraction the manipulators procured all of the land, and 99 per cent of the people had none. The result was that the bone and sinew of the country were impoverished, and then came the destruction of the republic.

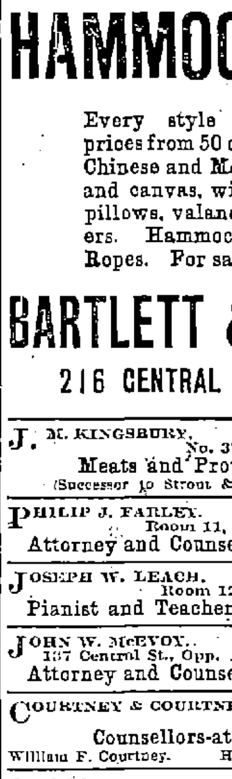
For All the People.

The nomination of Sewall of Maine shows that this will not be a sectional campaign. The fight will be made in every state on behalf of the whole people of the United States.—Kansas City Times.

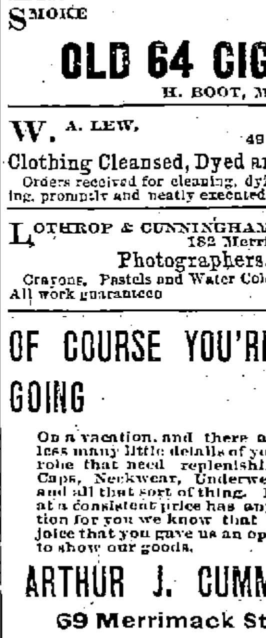
A Magnet That Draws.

The Democratic ticket is charged with the kind of magnetism that draws votes.—St. Louis Republic.

The gold barons want the price of their dollars kept up and the price of the things their dollars buy kept down.



A queen is only a woman after all, and every woman is a queen if she be a perfect woman. The crown of womanhood is motherhood. There is no higher thing than this. There is no better thing that any woman can do than to be a mother of bright and happy children. That is the best and highest thing that anybody can do in this world. It cannot be achieved by a woman who isn't healthy, who suffers from any of the weaknesses or disorders peculiar to her sex. A false idea of modesty which prevents the acquisition of knowledge, and the carelessness which prevents an application of knowledge are the most prolific causes of this kind of sickness. Thirty years ago, knowledge of the prevalence of such disorders induced Dr. R. V. Pierce, than as now, chief consulting physician of the Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., to devote a great amount of time and study to the preparation of a remedy that would invigorate and strengthen the womanly organism — that would cure perfectly and positively all forms of female weakness — that would take the danger away from childbirth, and greatly lessen the pains of labor. This remedy is called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. That it accomplished the object for which it was intended is proven by its remarkable and continued success for 30 years. Women will gain much knowledge by reading Dr. Pierce's great thousand page "Common Sense Medical Adviser." A free copy will be sent on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing *only*. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.



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Soon after, on some excuse, he crossed the room and stood a moment behind where she sat. The lady rose, turned calmly around, and lifting her false hair from her head said:

"Yes, sir, you are quite right; it is a wig!"

The humiliation of the prying stranger was speechless.—Youth's Companion.

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What We Are Coming To.

"Frederick," said she, "don't let the baby stand alone."

"Why, she's old enough to learn to walk."

"Old enough to learn to walk! Why, she hasn't even learned to ride a bicycle yet."—Washington Star.

A Definite Definition.

"What's an 'entr'acte?'"

"That depends on the weather."

"Depends on the weather?"

"Yes. In the summer it's usually beer."—Detroit News.

After the Spanking.

Mother—It hurts mother more than it does you, my son.

Willie—Why don't you holler then?—New York Sunday World.

Fin de Siecle.

I'm an end of the century girl,
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And a box of French bonbons to right.

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2 O'CLOCK

OLD SOLDIER GONE.

General Colston Had Seen Active Service on Two Continents.

Richmond, July 30.—General R. E. Colston, who was an officer in the Confederate army, and at one time commanded the Stonewall brigade, died at the Soldiers' home here yesterday. He was in his 71st year. General Colston served six years in the Egyptian army, and received the decoration of the Knight Commander of the Turkish Order of Oshmanish for distinguished services.

General Colston was born in France. His father was an American, who married a French lady. The family early came to this country, and young Colston finished his education at the Virginia Military Institute. He was elected a professor in that institution, and served there for 10 years prior to the war. Stonewall Jackson was a member of the faculty at this time. At the breaking out of the war, General Colston entered the Confederate service, as colonel of the Sixteenth Virginia regiment, Holmes' brigade. He was promoted to command of the brigade, and at the battle of Chancellorsville was in command of Trimble's division. Subsequently he served under Beauregard at Charleston, Savannah, and later at Petersburg. He was in command at Lynchburg at the close of the war. After the war he served six years in the Egyptian army, and for distinguished service received the decoration of the Knight Commander of the Osmanish. Several years ago General Colston was appointed to a clerkship in the war department at Washington, which he held until paralyzed. General Colston had a splendid education, and did considerable writing on war topics. He was a man of culture and strong convictions, warmhearted and beloved and honored by all who knew him.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Russian loan of $200,000,000 was subscribed 25 times over.

Li Hung Chang has been invited by Mayor Quincy to visit Boston.

Indiana reports an exceptionally destructive wind and rain storm.

The state of Michigan has no control over the University of Michigan.

Alphonse Nallett was drowned while bathing at Livermore Falls, Me.

Chicago banks expect to turn in $2,500,000 in gold at the sub-treasury.

Ex-President Robert Garrett of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad is dead.

The failure of New York to sell city bonds does not affect the city's credit.

W. B. Clarke & Co., a prominent bookselling firm of Boston, made an assignment.

Copies of the supplementary British Blue book have been received at Washington.

Peter Foley, aged 22, was drowned at Portland, Me., by falling through a hole in a wharf.

The principal importing firms of New York will assist New York bankers in preventing gold exports.

Gaudaur and Rogers won the professional three-mile double scull race at Halifax. Time, 19m. 48⅖s.

The alleged Brookline (Mass.) burglar, James White, was held in $5000 bail for the September grand jury.

D. M. Hook, a contractor of Medford, Mass., was killed while driving along Lexington street in Waltham.

Henry Blatzer and Louis Fryer were seriously injured by an explosion of chemicals in Houghton's brewery, Boston.

Bert Green, colored, convicted of the murder of Miles P. Mitchell, was hanged at Jackson, Tenn. Green protested his innocence to the last.

The project to reorganize the shoe firm of Lewis Gross & Co., which failed at Amesbury, Mass., with liabilities of $30,000, has been abandoned.

The Duke of Westminster, as chairman of the Cretan distress fund, has appointed Bickford Smith to distribute the English and American funds in Crete.

The governments of the United States and Honduras have entered into a parcel post convention, the documents having been just signed by President Cleveland.

Lewis Comer and John Farrell, cornice workers, were terribly injured at Cambridge, Mass., by the fall of a staging upon which they were working. Comer will die.

The barkentine Herbert Fuller has been ordered to Boston by the government of the United States as a material part of the government's case at the approaching trial.

Warning From Postmaster General.

Washington, July 30.—Postmaster General Wilson has issued an order to all railway clerks, directing them not to take an active interest in the political campaign, such as would be involved in their attending political conventions as delegates, making political speeches or assisting in the management of political campaigns. The postmaster general's circular expressly states that he does not desire to control their opinions on political matters.

Market Still Dull.

Fall River, Mass., July 30.—The Wampanoag mills have posted notices that they will continue the shutdown of their factories to Aug. 10, making a total of five weeks. The general sentiment among manufacturers here is in favor of continuing the curtailment longer than the four weeks originally stipulated, as the movement has not yet been followed by any marked improvement in the market.

American Students Favored.

Washington, July 30.—Official information has been received in Washington by the Franco-American committee, organizer for the purpose of securing fuller privileges for American students in the educational institutions of France, that in all probability the faculties of letters will soon be open to Americans as freely as the other faculties that have already been opened.

Bank Closes Shop.

Dennison, O., July 30.—The Dennison Deposit bank closed its doors yesterday, and assigned to E. M. Bailey. The liabilities will reach $100,000, while the assets will hardly cover $50,000. The feeling against the bank is very bitter, as it is generally known that it accepted deposits Tuesday night, after business hours.

Prison Life Made Easy.

London, July 30.—Dr. Jameson and his fellow prisoners have been made first class misdemeanants, which allows them to have their meals from outside Holloway jail, to dress in their own clothes, to have their menial work done by the other prisoners, and to have a small allowance of beer or wine.

THE PREACHERS CAN RIDE

THOMPSON STREET BICYCLE CLUB SO DECIDES.

Brother White Averred That It Made the Parson Gay—Brother Hopkins' Remarks. Brother Tobias Is Neutral—A Straight Tip From the Rev. Mr. Penstock.

"Gem'len of de club," began President Toots as the Thompson Street Colored Bicycle club was called to order, "at a late meetin we had de queshun befo' us, 'Should a minister of de gospil ride a bike?' De sentiment of de members was about evenly divided, an no decishun was arrove at, but de same queshun am heah befo' us agin, an I shall hope to see it settled dis time fur good. De opinyun of yo'r president am so well known dat it would be idle fur me to say anythin on de subjick. We will h'ar from Bruddar Slipback White on de mutter."

Brother White said he was sorry that the question had come up at this time, as he had accidentally swallowed a horse chestnut, two vest buttons and a quill toothpick and was not up to the mark as an orator, but as it had come up he must say that he was against it. Near him lived a preacher who had learned to ride the bike, and the difference in the demeanor of that man before and after was something amazing. The previous air of humility was gone, and its place had been taken by a sort of cock-a-doodle-doo bearing which gave rise to much talk. He couldn't say that the preacher had lost any of the goodness of his soul nor that his sermons were the less interesting, but contact with the frisky bike had certainly worked a change that he regretted to see.

One day the preacher had winked at him as they passed. On another occasion the good man had asked if he saw any flies on him. On the third occasion the preacher's bike had struck a banana cart and the preacher and the dago had seemed to use words of about the same length and meaning. He had no wish to abridge any man's rights, but it was his firm and unalterable opinion that preachers should keep both feet on the ground and not strike a gait of over five miles an hour.

Brother Elder Hopkins, who is 60 years old and just married to his third wife, responded to the call of the president by saying that he could not agree with Brother White. He was not a regularly ordained minister of the gospel, but had something of a reputation as an exhorter. He had now been riding the bike for three months, and if there was anything wicked about it

HE HAD BEEN RIDING THE BIKE FIVE MONTHS.

he ought to have felt it. Had he been hurt by the contact? No. On the contrary, the bike had proved a blessing to him and to his hearers. Formerly he had the hardest kind of work to keep his congregation awake, not to say interested, and he had grave reasons to fear that he did not earn the 30 or 40 cents returned on the collection plates. How was it now? He walked into the pulpit after a five mile spin on his bike, and in less than ten minutes half his audience were shouting "Amen!" He could rip satan up the back in a way he had never hoped to attain, and after an exhortation of two hours his congregation still cried for him to go on. He had also winked at men (not women) of his acquaintance—he had also made it impossible for flies to alight on his back. He had even choked a dago half to death, but in spite of all that he felt that he was gaining in goodness and leaving satan farther behind each day that he lived. Let ministers ride the bike if you want redhot sermons.

Brother Washington Tobias, who still ties himself on his bike when he goes out, that there may be no sudden separation and resultant heart burnings, said that he had given the subject 13 minutes of the most serious thought, but could not arrive at any conclusion. He did not want his preacher to be gay and colty and go around stepping high and talking about horse races and dog fights. Neither did he want him to go around like a pancake on legs and willing to let every dog bite him and every loafer kick his coattails full of wrinkles. The rapid exhilarating motion of the bike doubtless acted to stir up men's souls, and in some cases perhaps it made men worse, but he felt that the ministry could be trusted. If they found satan on the saddle behind them, they would discard the bike and go about on stilts. Let them ride or not ride, he would not take it upon himself to decide.

When the Rev. Penstock was called upon, he rose with alacrity and was evidently primed for the occasion. He is a regularly ordained minister and an advocate of the bike, and there was much interest to hear what he would say. He opened on Brother White from the word go. The man who affirmed that riding a bike made a preacher sporty was a bigot and did not know what he was talking about. He was a preacher with a flock. He had been riding a bike for five months and had reached that point where he could dodge any ice wagon in town in turning a corner, but had any member of his congregation noticed any change in him for the worse? Did he act colty? Was there a sporty look to his eyebrows and whiskers? There had been a change in him, but it was for the better. He had got out and buzzed around, and the getting out had braced his spinal column, given him a fresh hold of oratory, and his church was gaining new members at the rate of ten per week. He slept better, ate better, and though it still took a pint of arnica to rub him down after a spin he believed he was nearer the good mark than ever before. If riding on something rapid had a wicked influence on man, why were most railroad engineers pillars of the church? Why had so many horse jockeys come to him and expressed a wish to live better lives? The idea was all nonsense. It was the wheel which was rapid, not the rider. Exhilaration was no wickedness. One with a feeling of exhilaration strong upon him might wink at a woman riding a bike in the opposite direction, but it would be a harmless wink—a wink to merely announce that he saw her and was glad that she was taking needed exercise. Even should he chin with a female, it would not be a wicked chin, but simply inquiries after the state of her pneumatic tire. Away with nonsense and bigotry! Away with prejudice and prevarication! He should continue on as now, and if any of his congregation discovered that he was losing his goodness he would resign at their demand.

Several other members spoke upon the question pro and con, and it was then put to vote. By a majority of 17 votes it was decided that preachers can ride the bike and look a little sporty and act a little colty, and that any one opposed to it can go to grass. Brother White, who holds such strong views in the negative, arose and offered his resignation, but the same was not accepted, and he was told to sit down and keep quiet until the meeting adjourned.

M. QUAD.

Self Sacrificing Love.

"Young man," cried the enraged millionaire, "how dare you ask for the hand of my only daughter? You, a pauper! I would wipe the floor up with you before I'd accept you as a son-in-law."

"I'm perfectly willing, sir," answered the young man modestly. "It would be humiliating, I admit, but I would bear anything for the sake of winning your daughter for a wife."

"Explain yourself, you impudent rascal!" the millionaire commanded.

"Certainly," replied the youth as he removed his coat and vest and began to tackle his collar and tie. "You said you would wipe the floor up with me before you'd accept me as a son-in-law, and I am even willing to let you mop up the whole house with me if I can gain your consent."

This display of self sacrificing devotion was entirely too much for the millionaire, and after swallowing a lump in his throat he fell on the young man's neck and invited him into the bosom of the family.—New York Sunday World.

More For Less Money.

A French journal tells a story of a lady who with a maid went to purchase a still life picture for her dining room.

She selected a canvas on which were painted a bunch of flowers, a pie cut in two and a halfpenny roll and was paying 500 francs for it when the maid approached to whisper in her ear.

"Madam," said the servant, "you are making a bad bargain. I saw a picture very much like this sold the other day for 400 francs."

"And was it as good as this?"

"Yes, madam; it was better. There was a good deal more pie in it."—Chicago Post.

An Infallible Rooster.

A negro was killed in Hall county recently, and one of the "old time" darkies was summoned as a witness before the coroner's jury.

"What do you know about the killing?" asked the coroner.

"Well, suh, I des knowed hit wuz gwine ter happen, dat's all!"

"How did you know it?"

"How I knowed hit?"

"Yes?"

"Kase my ole rooster come close ter de do' en crowed three times de day befo' de shootin, en hit wuz des 'bleege ter happen!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Odds Too Great.

"I tell you, sir," said the politician of the silver school, "I'm a strong upholder of the 16 to 1"—

"Oh, well, those long odds pull out occasionally," interrupted the sport, "but there's no money in sticking to 'em. As a general thing I'd think better of a 2 to 1 shot."—Chicago Post.

One Way to Quit.

"Jibbs and the rest of the boys didn't want to swear off poker entirely, but they'd been playing a good deal lately, and to get a rest they went into camp last week, 20 miles back in the woods from Bogville, so they wouldn't see a card for a month."

"Yes. I saw Jibbs in Bogville yesterday."

"What? Has he quit the camp?"

"No. Came in after a poker deck."—New York Sun.

No Danger.

"I think we ought to do something to conciliate the bicycle vote," said the statesman. "It is likely to be a power."

"Not much, it ain't," said his manager. "Every fellow that has a wheel hates every other fellow that has some other kind of wheel so much that they won't organize in 1,000 years."—Truth.

Lifelong Devotion Assured.

Mrs. Social—And so Miss Flirtie is engaged to your son. Do you think she will be true to him?

Wise Dame—Oh, she'll be true to him as long as other women admire him, and I guess he'll be handsome all his life.—New York Weekly.

Identified.

Editor's Boy—Papa, who is this "Vox Populi," anyway, that writes so many pieces for the paper?

Editor—Well, Edwin, he thinks his other name is "Vox Dei," but in most cases it is "Mud."—Somerville Journal.

The Cattle Show.

Full soon the countryman will wend
His way to county fairs,
Which so promote the interests
That every farmer shares.

His products agricultural
May lose or win a prize,
While he, in wonder open mouthed,
Goes forth to feast his eyes

On selling platers brought from town
To go in minutes three,
Balloon ascensions, Turkish dance
An gin'ral jamboree.

The chuck luck game his fancy wins;
It also wins his dough,
As do some other products rare
Which farmers make to grow.

To thus encourage rural arts
Associations strive
And keep the good old cattle show
From year to year alive!

—Detroit News.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

HANGED HIMSELF

Russian Count Ends Life in a Cell.

WAS AUTHOR OF MRS. HARRY ST. JOHN

And a Well Known Boston Journalist.

New York, July 29.—Roman J. Zubof who claims to be a Russian count and who is well known in Boston as a journalist and the author of Mrs. Harry St. John, Mr. Phily St. Claire and Violet, the American Sappho, committed suicide in a cell in the police station last night.

He was arrested as he was preparing to leave for Europe. He was wanted for an unpaid hotel bill in Boston to the amount of $500.

Zubof pleaded hard with the officer to be released stating that he must leave at once for Europe and offering $250 on account. He was much disheartened when he was told that he would have to await trial and later was found hanging by his pocket handkerchief in his cell.

MRS. CONANT'S COTTEGE

AT BASS'S POINT DESTROYED BY LIGHTNING

In the Electric Disturbance of This Morning.

Gloucester, Mass., July 29.—A severe thunder storm occurred here this morning doing considerable damage. The summer cottage of Mrs. Frances Conant of Lowell, at Bass Point, was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire. One of the occupants was slightly injured by a falling rafter.

A NEW WOMAN BICYCLIST

RUNS OVER AND KILLS AN OLD MAN.

Then Mounts Her Wheel and Rides Away Leaving the Dying Man to Expire in the Gutter.

Chicago, Ill., July 29.—An unknown woman bicyclist, while scorching through a thoroughfare last night, ran into and knocked down Wm. Klink, and aged butcher. As Klink fell one of the handle bars struck him in the abdomen, rupturing the intestines, and causing fatal injuries. When the accident occurred the woman quickly picked herself up, remounted her wheel, and rode away, leaving the dying man alone in the gutter.

HE GAVE HIMSELF UP

SENSATION CAUSED IN TAUNTON THIS MORNING.

Richard Marley Pleads Not Guilty of Killing Fred Strange, the Bicyclist.

Taunton, Mass., July 29.—The police and public of this city were given a sensational surprise this morning when Richard Marley, a farmer of Barrowsville, 11 miles from here, called at police headquarters and gave himself up, stating that he heard he was wanted for the murder of Fred S. Strange, the bicyclist, who was held up and afterward killed by an unknown wheelman about a month ago.

Marley states that he knows nothing of the murder and heard nothing of it until a few days ago when he was told that the police suspected him. He claims that he does not even know how to ride a wheel. He will be closely examined before formally charged with murder.

Police Court—Pickman, J.

Seven drunks, none sentenced.

Gilman Noyes was sent to jail for three months for stealing snow shovels last winter.

An amusing case was that of Catharine Price charged with assault and battery upon Catharine White. This was a Fox's yard scrap in which pitchers, plates and glasses figured as missiles. The court imposed the small fine of $6.

A Plumber Killed.

Meriden, Conn., July 29.—Francis Farrell, a plumber, aged 19 years, while at work at the factory of Boyers and Brouthers was caught between two fly wheels of a stationary engine and was instantly killed, every bone in his body being crushed.

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FLAHERTY'S CONDITION.

He Suffered With Cholera Morbus—Gans' Manager Shows White Feather.

George V. Tuohey, manager of Martin Flaherty, arrived in Boston last night, having come on ahead of the boxer to assure his relatives and friends that Martin will be home all right in a few days.

Mr. Tuohey said to a Sun reporter last night:

"On Saturday I noticed Martin eating a great quantity of peaches and I warned him against them, but he is accustomed to fruit when training and all boxers like it as food. But he evidently ate too much of the dangerous luxury, for while in elegant shape Sunday morning, he was seized with cramps Sunday night.

"He was training outside of the city and Monday morning we started for the club to weigh in, though we knew that Martin was not in condition to box.

"On the way he was seized with convulsion and raved so that five of us had to hold him. He imagined himself in a match with Bill Daly, referee, interfering with him. At Highlandton, a suburb, we saw Dr. A. S. Warren who prescribed for him temporarily. Then we proceeded to the club house and again Martin was seized with convulsions. Three physicians were summoned, one of whom pronounced it a case of epilepsy while the others called it cholera morbus. They also said that only prompt action had saved Martin from severe if not fatal illness. When Hereford saw Martin stripped he made the significant remark: "Why he's almost as big as Gans" and after that refused to allow Joe Flaherty to go on in Martin's place and refused a week's postponement unless at catch weights which will mean 130 pounds for Martin and about 140 for Gans.

The match was then declared off.

Martin is now at the Belmont house in Back River, Baltimore Co., with Joe Flaherty and Pat. Cahill and will be able to return to Lowell in a day or two.

HOT FROM THE WIRE.

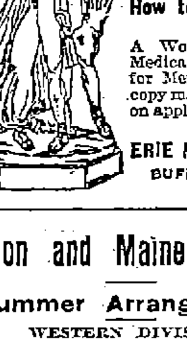
A freight train went through a bridge at Crawfordville, Mich., this morning after a washout, demolishing the train and killing Conductor Fowler, Brakeman McKenzie and Fireman Hurber, beside injuring several trainmen.

Never before was there such a crowd in in the town of Alfred, Me., as there is today the eve of the state convention. They are there to hear Reed's speech upon being renominated for congress.

Dennis J. Hook, a teamster, was killed in Waltham today. His horse fell down on Lexington street, throwing him over the dashboard. In some manner the horse horse kicked him on the head, causing his death.

Robert Garnet, ex-president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad died at Deer Park, Mo., this morning.

Frank Lewis, a Taunton sailor was found dead in his bunk on a vessel at Block Island this morning.



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For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.
For Haverhill, 6.30, 6.50, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.
For Salem and Lynn, 6.30 a. m., 1.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Newburyport and Amesbury, 6.30 a. m., 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.
For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.
For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.
For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.
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For Woburn, 6.30, §7.01, 7.33, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.28, 8.45 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, §5.53 p. m.

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For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15 p. m.
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For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.13, 9.42, 10.00 a.m; 12.00, 1.00, 1.40, 1.54, 3.43, 5.42, 5.20, 8.13, 8.43 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3.08 a. m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.18, 8.43 p.m.
For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.13, 9.42 a. m; 12.09, 1.40, 5.42, †8.13 p. m.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m; 1.40 p. m., 3.43 p. m., Saturday only till August 29th inclusive.
For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.42 a.m; 1.40, †8.43 p. m.
For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.42 a. m.; 12.19, †8.13 p. m.
For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.42 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.
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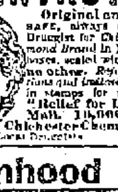

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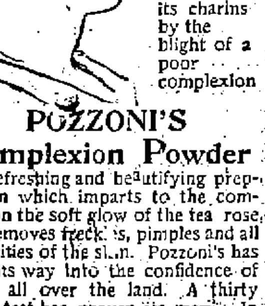

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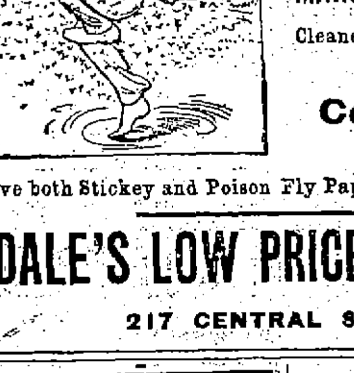

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Full sea—2:47 a. m.; 3:15 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Showers; southwesterly winds, becoming northwesterly.

LOCAL NEWS.

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Sheldon street is being graded by street employes.

The Boys in Blue propose to form a drum corps of 41 pieces.

Next week Saturday is quarter day at the Washington Savings bank.

The old ladies of the Fletcher street home had an outing at Lakeview yesterday.

The Middlesex North Medical society held its quarterly meeting at Glen Forest yesterday.

Engagement rings in diamonds and all other precious stones. J. D. Grant's, 61 Merrimack street.

If your coal does not suit you try Mullin, the 1018 Gorham street coal dealer. You can get him by telephone connection.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Central Congregational church, in Chelmsford held a well attended social entertainment last evening.

Supreme Secretary E. M. McMurtry of the F. of A., has gone to New York for a week to attend a meeting of the ritualistic committee.

The Albaont foot ball club has elected these officers: Captain, Bennie Stavely; manager, Charles Lowrey; treasurer and coach, Rev. Samuel Darlington.

J. E. Conant & Co. sold yesterday two lots at the corner of Wiggin and Willie streets, to A. T. Hodge. The price paid was 24 3-4c. a foot for one lot and 18 3-4c. for the other.

John A. O'Hearn, chief marshal of the Foresters' gala day parade, has appointed John McFadden, treasurer of Court Merrimack, chief of staff, and Napoleon H. Roy of Court Samuel De Champlain, as chief aid.

Trustee's sale of the late Norah Conant. Residence, including large house, stable and 7600 square feet of land; also two elegant building lots. Wannalancit and West Bowers street. To-morrow, promptly at five o'clock in the afternoon, and to the highest bidders I shall sell the desirable and excellently located estate divided into three lots, and nearly opposite the stone castle of the late Jona Bowers, the elegant residence of Dr. Robert E. Bell and the new Bartlett schoolhouse.

Lot 1. Large two and one half story house of two tenements with five rooms, a pantry and a shed on each floor; also two finished attics and room for two more; cellar with steam plant to heat the whole house and it's numbered 22 Bowers street. Stable for two horses and two carriages. The lot has a frontage of 50 feet; contains about 7600 square feet, and has an abundance of fruit trees. Here's a splendid place, primely situated in a fine neighborhood in one of the choice residential sections of Lowell.

Lot 2. About 7000 square feet of land adjoining Lot 1, and having a frontage of 55 feet on West Bowers street.

Lot 3. About 7600 square feet of land adjoining Lot 2. It has a frontage of 64 feet on West Bowers street and 116 feet on Wannalancit street. Lots 2 and 3 are remarkable building spots, are practically the highest land in their portion of the city, the view from them is a rare one. The Wilton mountains, the Merrimack River, the handsomest part of old Ward Four and much intervening countries lie out before you. Much more could be said of this truly first class property, and then many of its advantages not mentioned. It's one of those large pieces of realty that become divided into parcels and offered at public sale only by force of circumstances. You cannot realize its qualities or know its attractiveness for a home or a residence until you go upon the premises and see for yourself. The corner lot is just right and you would not alter or change it if you could. Sale rain or shine. Per order.

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House open after 10 a. m. on day of sale. Plan of the premises at the office of the auctioneers. J. E. CONANT & CO.

Kirk Street Church.

The Kirk street Congregational society held a meeting last evening and voted to refer to the committee on credentials the question of whether or not the auditorium of the church should be redecorated. It will cost $10,500 to do the work and already $3,500, besides the church indebtedness, amounting to $2,800 has been pledged.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Councilman Nay was guilty of a violation of the rules of the lower board when he refused to vote on the motion to adopt the report censuring the committee concerned in the horse deal. His attention was called to the rule by Councilman Miskella but he heeded it not. Mr. Nay, a republican councilman has set an example which if followed out by others may lead to complications in that body. According to republican and democratic members the presiding officers should have insisted on Mr. Nay voting or else place him in the position of being afraid "to go on record" which is really the opinion many people now hold of him.

☞ In glancing over the list of councilmen who voted to censure the "horse dealers" it will be noticed that Councilman Eveleth is one of them. At the hearing before the investigating committee Mr. Eveleth stated he saw nothing wrong with the transaction. Mr. Eveleth also approved the bill for the horses. "Where are you at?" Charlie.

One of the charges Councilman Nay has to make about repairs on the boilers at city hall, relates to brick work. He says that in looking over the bill he finds a charge for 4900 brick, when, as he claims only 1300 bricks would be required in setting up the boiler. He wants to know where the other 2700 brick were laid.

Members of the school board will urge the lands and buildings committee to arrange for the erection of a manual training school building. One floor of the proposed building will be devoted to the use of the High school battalion as a drill shed.

Louis Alexander,

tailor, 85 Central street, is having his semi-annual clearance sale to make room for new fall styles. Bargains in crash, golf, bicycle suits and all summer goods.

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MAY BE LYNCHED

A Negro Kills a Woman Near Washington.

THHE CULPRIT CONFESSES HIS FOUL CRIME.

But His Stories Do Not Agree in Detail.

Washington, July 30.—A coroner's jury yesterday found James Smith, a negro waiter guilty of the murder Tuesday night of Marguerite Drown at Seat Pleasant, a large country boarding house about eight miles from Washington, and late developments in the case have added so much horror to the crime that there are numerous threats of another Maryland lynching as soon as a convenient opportunity occurs. Smith was arrested by the Washington police yesterday in the northeastern part of the city, and in view of the excited condition of the people of Prince George's county, probably will be held until formal requisition is made, in order to permit the excitement to partly allayed. The negro made two confessions, partly contradictory but each admitting the murder. In his first confession, he said that he had been intimate with the murdered girl, for whose foster mother he had worked several years; that Mrs. Drown had discovered the fact and had discharged him, but had re-employed him on his and the girl's promise to cease such relations, and that he cut Miss Drown's throat on Tuesday because she rejected advances he had made to her again.

In his second confession, he declared that he had not told the truth when he asserted that he had relations with the girl, and denied that he had outraged as well as murdered her, but also stated that he had gone to her room for the purpose of making advances to her, had been repulsed, had choked her into unconsciousness and then had procured a knife from the kitchen and killed her. The developments at the coroner's inquest tended to discredit the more revolting part of the negro's first confession.

Mrs. Drown, the foster mother of the dead girl, testified that Marguerite had complained to her last Thursday that Smith had attempted to kiss her. Several of the servants also swore that the girl had called them and had made complaint that Smith was attempting to kiss her. Mrs. Drown, in explanation of Smith's continued employment after this occurrence, said that Smith immediately after it, left the house, but came back the next day, professed to be exceedingly penitent and begged to be re-employed. He had been a good servant for years, and she had finally agreed to let him come back. On the day of the murder, she and Dr. Miller, a boarder, had driven into town, leaving the girl at home with the servants. The latter swore that they heard a noise upstairs in the girl's room loud enough to attract attention, but said they could not tell whether it was a laugh or a cry. A little later Smith came down, and in answer to questions said that the noise they had heard was Miss Marguerite laughing at a story he had told her. He had a small basket on his arm, and at once left the house, saying he was going to a neighbor's for some eggs.

The doctor who performed the autopsy said that his examination of the body showed that the girl first had been knocked down and rendered unconscious by a blow on the forehead, that she had then been outraged, and later killed by the severing of the windpipe and jugular vein.

The jury promptly returned its verdict in accordance with this evidence. The negro servants about the place were held in custody, on suspicion that they knew more of the affair than was disclosed in their testimony.

Wild Storms Continue.

Cincinnati, July 30.—A tornado struck Sydney and vicinity last evening. The hills protected the city, but houses were unroofed and trees were twisted off. It was worse in the country, but not loss of life has thus far been reported. South Charleston was also visited by a most destructive wind and rain storm. Trees were uprooted, fences prostrated, and many bridges swept away. Crops have been made worthless.

Non-Union Men Assaulted.

Lynn, Mass., July 30.—When the non-union workmen in the Plant shoe factory left work at 6 o'clock last evening, fully 2000 people were in waiting. Three of the workmen were followed to their boarding house, and before police assistance could be obtained two of the men were badly assaulted. Arrests are expected.

In Memory of Long Ago.

Ipswich, Mass., July 30.—The memorial tablets in honor of Ezekiel Cheever, Rev. Nathaniel Ward, Richard Saltonstall and Rev. Nathaniel Rogers, the distinguished men of Ipswich, who lived in the 17th century, were unveiled here yesterday afternoon. The exercises were attended by a large crowd.

Hot Weather In Kentucky.

Louisville, July 30.—The present hot spell has broken the record for the past 15 years. Tuesday the thermometer registered 98.05, and yesterday it registered 98 degrees. Two deaths, due to the heat, are reported, and there have been numerous prostrations.

Wind and Rain.

Huntington, Ind., July 30.—A tornado yesterday afternoon damaged many buildings here, twisting off trees and rendering worthless many fields of corn and oats. It was accompanied by a deluging rain.

Isn't This Jealousy?

Berlin, July 30.—The Neuste Nachrichten, in attacking the existing regime in Samoa, declares that English and American wirepullers are undermining Germany's influence, and are doing their best to foment discord. Peace and order, says this journal, will never be restored till England and America are induced to renounce their share in the Condominium. The article then appeals to the German government to sweep away the pernicious conditions prevailing in Samoa.

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BEFORE THE LORDS.

Irish Land Bill Wriggles Through the House of Commons.

London, July 30.—The Irish land bill was taken up on its third reading in the house of commons yesterday. Arthur Smith-Barry, a well known Irish landlord, who defeated the National league in its great tenants' fight, moved that the measure be rejected, owing to the concessions that had been made to the tenants by the government. The vote on the motion to reject the bill was then voted on, and defeated. The measure then passed its third reading without a division being taken. The bill was presented in the house of lords at 5:30 o'clock, and passed its first reading.

The new Irish land bill, which was introduced in the house of commons on April 13, provided for facilitating the purchase of the holdings, and prevents the lessee from having rent levies on his improvements. It also embodies the most non-contentious proposals of the Irish land bill of 1895, and modifies other propositions. The new measure provides that the tenant, on the payment of two years' arrears, shall be deemed to be in just possession of his holdings, leaving the landlord to recover the remainder of the arrears in the ordinary way. There is no alteration in the statutory term of 15 years for fixing a fair rent. Purchase will not be compulsory, the terms for the repayment will be extended from 49 years to over 70 years, and relief will be given to the tenants toward the end of their tenancy payments, decreasing with the length of tenancy, enabling every purchaser to pay in less than 20 years' purchase. At the start there will be 20 per cent less rent than now paid, and the tenants will also be relieved of 10 per cent during the first 30 years. The new bill also extends the powers of the congested districts board, and enables it to borrow to the extent of £1,500,000 ($7,500,000). In regard to evicted tenants, the government could not consent to the use of public money for them, believing it should come from private sources, but it announced its willingness to re-enact the clause of the land act for a year, and so act as a mediator.

Italians Badly Scared.

Zurich, July 30.—The Italians in this town are in a state of panic, in consequence of the riots growing out of the killing of a Swiss by an Italian, and the attack on the Italian quarter, in which serious excesses were committed. Landlords who have Italians for tenants, fearing that damage may be done to their property, are putting the Italians into the streets by wholesale, and hundreds of them are sleeping in the forests adjacent to the town, about bivouac fires, with sentries to guard against an attack. The troops occupy the streets of the town, but there is a general exodus of Italians, and 6000 of them are besieging the railway stations to get away.

Movements of Warships.

Washington, July 30.—The Minneapolis has arrived at Leith, the Marblehead at Catania, the Bancroft at Bridgeport, Conn., and the Monadnock at Port Angeles. The Marion has sailed from Panama for Callao, and the Essex from Funchal for Gardiner's bay.

Suicide With Poison.

Hartford, July 30.—Stella Porter, aged 25 years, who occupied a room on the upper floor of the Charter Oak bank building, committed suicide by taking poison yesterday. Her room was poorly furnished, and it is thought despondency induced the crime.

Track Record Lowered.

Concord, N. H., July 30.—The New England half-mile track record was lowered from 2.12¼ to 2:11¾ at the Capitol Driving park. Gil Curry, driven by Ham Brock, made the former record in 1894 at Brockton. Yesterday he cut the mark with the game and veteran racer, Barney.

BASE BALL.

Ed. Flanagan is to be released by Lewiston.

McCarthy, the well known pitcher, is home.

The Monarchs have organized for the season, and would like to hear from all nines under 16 years of age. Send all challenges to John Smith, 117 Chapel street.

There will be a meeting of the league in this office this evening.

The principal game Saturday will be that of the Unions and the Florence team at the Cricket Grounds.

The Monarch base ball team want to hear from 16 year old teams. Address, John Smith, 111 Chapel street.

Games Yesterday.

At Boston—Baltimore, 7; Boston, 6.
At Cincinnati—Cleveland, 6; Cincinnati, 1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 15; New York, 9.
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5; Louisville, 4.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 0.
At Pittsburg—Chicago, 9; Pittsburg, 5.
At New Bedford—Pawtucket, 6; New Bedford, 5.
At Bangor—Bangor, 18; Lewiston, 2.
At Augusta—Portland, 6; Augusta, 5.
At Brockton—Brockton, 12; Fall River, 9.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Edward T. Wilder of Newton and Miss Alice P. Dexter were united in marriage last evening by Rev. W. H. O. Millington, at the residence of the bride's father, Henry C. Dexter, 15 Dutton street. The bride was attired in white muslin. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder left on a trip to the Provinces. They will be at home to friends after Oct. 15.

Injured by a Runaway.

A. N. Stevens, who formerly kept a stable in Second street, was injured in a runaway accident in Hudson yesterday. The horse broke its foreleg and had to be killed.

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ONLY WASTE TIME

Socialist Labor Congress is Still Wrangling.

THE QUESTION OF CREDENTIALS STILL UNSETTLED.

All New Business May be Shut Off.

London, July 30.—The sessions of the International Socialist and Trades Union congress were resumed yesterday, with Chairman Hyndman presiding. In his opening address the chairman begged the delegates to maintain order, pointing out that their enemies were deriving considerable satisfaction from the apparent inability of the congress to conduct its business.

Discussion was then resumed with the question of admitting the French Socialist members of the chamber of deputies MM. Jaures, Millerand and Viviani, it being claimed by the delegates who objected to their presence that they did not represent the French peasantry, and that they were not properly accredited.

The congress, after a great deal of wrangling, referred the credentials of M. Jaures and his companions to the French delegates.

The discussion of the credentials of other delegates who had been objected to was then commenced, and continued amid much interruption. Many delegates from secret societies of Russia and Poland were admitted.

The admission of the Russian and Polish delegates was the signal for another disturbance. Kantsky, one of the Polish delegates, was openly denounced as a suspicious character, and the person who made the denunciation added that it was well known that Kantsky had been in communication with a notorious police spy. Thereupon Kantsky sprang to his feet and fiercely protested his innocence, claiming that he was a well accredited delegate and that he had a right to take part in the deliberations. Several hot speeches for and against his admission were made, and the congress decided, after a very noisy scene, to expel him.

Kantsky was hustled out of the hall, vowing vengeance against the man who had denounced him, and loudly protesting his innocence of any connection with the Russian police.

A suggestion was then made to the and take a photograph of the delegates, that a photographer who was present be allowed to come upon the platform and take a photograph of the delegates and later a photograph of the officers and chiefs of sections.

The proposition, however, raised a strong protest from the foreign delegates, who announced that they had the most decided objections to being photographed, apparently fearing that this might be some trap set for them by the police.

It required the whole of the remainder of the sitting to decide the claims of the French delegates to seats, eight delegates having in the meantime developed a difference in their own ranks. They were finally admitted only on terms of division and disagreement among themselves.

The proposal made by M. Millerand, on behalf of the French delegates, was to allow them to divide into two sections, as they disagreed upon important questions. This immediately precipitated a tumultuous discussion, and great excitement and loud shouting ensued amongst the delegates.

Chairman Hyndman finally suggested that one delegate should speak for, and another against, the proposal. He then asked M. Millerand to speak, but it was finally another half an hour before the French Socialist deputy could obtain a hearing. When he finally succeeded in making himself heard, he denounced the anarchists, and declared that his section would withdraw from the congress if the anarchists were allowed to take part in its proceedings.

Another tremendous uproar on the floor immediately followed, and mutual recriminations were hurled back and forth between the different French sections. The chairman was utterly powerless to control the situation, or to put a stop to the noise, and the delegates went on yelling and waving their arms and denouncing each other, while no one could possibly hear what anyone else was saying, and the tenor of the remarks could be judged from the fierce gestures and threatening demeanor of the shouters.

An American delegate, in the midst of the din, shouted out in a voice that could be heard, that the Americans sided with the French minority and against the anarchists. This again aroused the French majority, who, however, only imperfectly understood what the American said, and they shouted themselves hoarse in repudiating what they thought was a charge that they were anarchists.

The English delegates took no very active part in the disturbance, but simply regarded the scene with stupefied dismay.

When the uproar had somewhat subsided, the Belgian vandeveldt opposed the division of the Frenchmen, which caused renewed disorder.

It was only when the delegates were entirely exhausted, with shouting at the top of their voices, that a vote was taken by nationalities on M. Millerand's proposition. It was decided, by a vote of 14 to 5, to allow the Frenchmen to divide.

The congress then adjourned, after the sitting had lasted for seven hours, amid constant turbulence and disorder, and little comprehension among the participants of what was being said or of the course of business.

Three days of the congress have now already been wasted on the consideration of the credentials of delegates, and this business has not yet been finished. As the congress is to adjourn on Saturday morning, it looks as though the closing would come without its having reached any real business at all.

PROBABLY FATAL SHOCK

JAMES J. MOUNTAIN MEETS SEVERE ACCIDENT.

He is in a Critical Condition at the Lowell Hospital.

James J. Mountain, floor walker of A. G. Pollard & Co. met with a peculiar accident last evening, which, it is feared, will result fatally.

Last evening just before six o'clock he had occasion to climb a step ladder and in some manner received a shock from an electric wire and was thrown to the floor. When his fellow employes picked him up he appeared to be dazed though he went to his home on Wilton avenue.

Dr. Sargent was called to attend him and found that Mountain was suffering from what appeared to be a fractured skull. He was removed to the corporation hospital where he remained unconscious all night.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

There were nine drunks and Frank McLaughlin was among them. He was sent to jail for 4 months but appealed and was held in $200.

Patrick F. Holland, a common drunkard got 3 months in jail.

Frank McNamara, charged with assault and battery on Mary McNamara, was placed on probation till Aug. 20.

Esther Ruff had George Head on a charge of assault and battery and the case was continued till tomorrow for trial.

James Henry was charged with using profane language and was dismissed.

Lord's Day Congress.

A meeting of the committee of clergymen appointed to arrange for a Lord's day congress was due at the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday, but only two members appeared. The probability is that a convention will be held Oct. 21.

George Hubbard Will Go to Maine.

George L. Hubbard, the well-known real estate man will start this week on a vacation which he will spend down in Maine. George is quite an expert at angling, and is considered a good shot with a gun; so after his arrival at the fishing grounds, his friends may expect samples of the funny tribe which he beguiles from their watery home.

The rain today put a stop to sewer work.

COMPLEXION POWDER Is an absolute necessity of refined toilet in this climate. Pozzoni's combines every element of beauty and purity.

LIGHT ON FREE SILVER

THE MEANING OF TERMS AND RATIOS EXPLAINED

By the Director of the Mint at Philadelphia—Exact Figures That Should be Remembered.

Mr. Editor: I think I cannot give you more accurate information upon the value weight and ratio of gold and silver dollars than is contained in the following:

Mint Director Preston of Philadelphia has made the following simple and comprehensive statement in regard to the coinage ratio between gold and silver in response to frequent inquiries upon that point:

All standard silver dollars coined by the mints of the United States since the passage of the act of January 18, 1873, have been coined in the ratio of 1 to 15.9884, generally called the ratio of 1 to 16—15.9884 being very nearly 16. Still, to reach accurate results, the former and not the latter figure must be used in calculation. The ratio is obtained in this way:

The silver dollar contains 371.25 grains of pure silver and the gold dollar 23.22 grains of pure gold. If you divide 371.25 by 23.22, you will get the ratio of weight between a gold dollar and a sileer dollar—that is 15.9884. It is true that to be on a par with gold, silver would (at our ratio) be worth $1.2929. The reason is this, a gold dollar contains 23.22 grains of pure gold. In an ounce, or 480 grains of gold, there are as many dollars as 23.22 is contained times in 480, or one ounce. If you divide 480 by 23.22, you get $20.67, the number of dollars that can be coined out of an ounce of pure gold; in other words, the money equivalent of one ounce of gold or of 15.9884 ounces of silver, the ratio of 1 to 15.9884. Now, if 15.9884 ounces of silver would be worth $20.67, one ounce will be worth $1.2929, as you can prove by simple division. The same result is obtained by dividing 480 grains or one ounce of silver by 371.25, the number of grains of pure silver in a standard silver dollar at the ratio of of 1 to 15.9884, which gives $1.2929.

Sixteen ounces of pure silver will coin a little more than one ounce of gold; 15.9884 ounces of silver will coin exactly the same amount of money as one ounce of gold—that is $20.67. You can prove this by dividing 15.9884 ounces by 371.25 grains. The operation is as follows: 15.9884, multiplied by 480, divided by 371.25 equals 20.674.

It is not true that sixteen ounces of silver will coin only $16.80 at the ratio of 1 to 16.

As will be seen above, one ounce of silver will coin $1.2929. Multiplying $1.2929 by 16 gives $20.68. You can make the result in another way: 16 ounces troy or 7680 grains, divided by 371.25, gives the number of silver dollars that can be coined out of 16 ounces of silver; 7680 divided by 371.25, equals 20.68.

Mr. Preston has also furnished answers to the following important questions:

First. What is meant by the free coinage of silver?

Answer. The right of individuals to deposit standard silver in any amount at the mints and have it coined into full legal tender coins.

Second. What is meant by the ratio 16 to 1?

Answer. The ratio of coinage of 16 to 1 means that sixteen ounces of pure silver coined shall have the same value as one ounce of pure gold coined, namely, $20.67.

Third. What is meant by bimetallism?

Answer. The unlimited coinage of both gold and silver, on private account, into full legal tender coins.

Fourth. What is meant by single standard, gold or silver?

Answer. That only one metal shall be coined on private account into full legal tender coins, and that only the favored metal shall be coined without limit.

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DIVISION 8, A. O. H.

Held Their Picnic at Lynn Beach, Yesterday.

Division 8, A. O. H., of this city, had a largely attended picnic at Lynn beach, yesterday. Over 500 people representing all the local divisions, attended, returning on the late cars.

Dinner was served at the Nahant and Bay View hotels. Dancing began at 2 o'clock and continued through the afternoon. The managers of the affair were: General manager, Thomas J. O. McGuire; assistant, John Murray; floor director, Michael McCoy; assistant, Michael Cassidy; chief aid, John J. O'Neil.

Swimming Match.

Charles Brown and William Chase, two local swimmers, swam around Willow Dale pond yesterday morning, starting and finishing at Mountain Rock. It took them 1 hour 55 minutes. Edward Lamson followed them in a boat.

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin, no matter of how long standing.

WARNED OF DANGER.

Lowell Fishermen Advised to Seek Shelter in Boston Harbor.

The fishing party composed of prominent French residents who left this city for the Salem fishing grounds, Tuesday morning, was not caught in the heavy storm of yesterday morning.

During the day the boat was signalled that a dangerous storm was coming up, and warned them to put into the harbor. They heeded the warning, and were safe from the dangers of the storm.

Some of the party returned on Tuesday night while the others remained.

Water Backed in from Sewers.

Water from two sewers in Cross street backed into the foundation bed of the Working Girls' home after the heavy rain yesterday morning and the men were kept busy all day pumping out the water. All other work had to be suspended.

Fell From an Apple Tree.

Mr. Linhurst, residing at 67 Liberty street, was picking apples from a tree in his yard last evening, when the limb broke and he fell a distance of twenty feet, breaking three ribs. He was taken into the house and Dr. Ricker dressed his injuries.

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Of Ladies' Capes, Jackets, All-Wool Outing Suits, Wash Suits, Separate Skirts, Silk Waists and Laundered Shirt Waists

$10, $12.50 and $14 Capes $5 each to close.
$6, $8, and $10 Jackets $3.50 each to close.
$12.50 and $14 all-wool Outing Suits $7.98 each.
$3.50 Wash Suits $1.50 to close.
$4.50 Wash Suits $2.50 to close.
$1.50 Separate Skirts 97c. to close.
$2.50 Separate Skirts $1.25 to close.
$3.50 Separate Skirts $2.50 to close.
$5.00 Separate Skirts $3.35 to close.
50c. Laundered Shirt Waists 25c. to close.
69c. Laundered Shirt Waists 38c. to close.
$1.00 Laundered Shirt Waists 50c. to close.
$1.75 and $2 Laundered Shirt Waists $1 to close.

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$1.25 Check Waist, like cut, 49c.

CRASH, LINEN AND DUCK SKIRTS.
$2.00 Linen Skirts, now $1.29.
$2.50 Pure Crash Skirts, now $1.49.
$3.00 Pure Crash Skirts, now $1.98.
$4.00 Pure Crash Skirts, now $2.49.
$2.50 White Duck Skirts, now $1.49.
$3.00 White Duck Skirts, now $1.98.

SUMMER SUITS
In Crash, Linen, Pique and Duck.
$6.00 Suits in Crash, now $2.98.
$7.00 Suits in Linen, now $3.47.
$5.50 Suits in Crash, now $3.98.
$6.00 Suits in Pique, now $2.47.

SHIRT WAISTS—Nobblest Styles.
69c. and 75c. Waists, now 25c.
$1.00 and $1.25 Waists, now 49c.
$1.50 and $1.75 Waists, now 65c.
$2.00 and $2.50 Waists, now 98c.
1 lot White Soft Waists, now 49c., 75c. and 98c., down from $1 to $2.
1 lot new Fronts in Linen effects, were $1.25 and $1.50, now 75c.

WRAPPERS AND TEA GOWNS.
$1.50 Lawn Wrappers in white and colors, now 59c.
$2.00 Fancy Lawn Wrappers, $1.49.
$3.75 Fancy Lawn Tea Gowns, $1.98.
$5 Fancy Lawn Tea Gowns, $2.49.

Children's and Misses' Wash Dresses.
All marked down. Good values 49c. to $1.98, down from $1 to $3.50.

SERGE and FLANNEL OUTING SUITS
8 to 12 year sizes at 50c. on the dollar.

SHIRT WAIST SETS.
50c. and 75c. sets, now 25c.
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LADIES' AND MEN'S NECKTIES.
25-cent Ties, now 10c.
35-cent Ties, now 15c.
50-cent Ties, now 23c.
Simply to close.

LADIES' OUTING SUITS
$7.50 Suits, now $3.98.
$10.00 Suits, now $4.95.
$12.50 Suits, now $5.75.
$17.50 Suits, now $8.75.
$20.00 to $25.00 Suits, now $10.75.

SEPARATE DRESS SKIRTS
In Plain and Figured Brilliantines, Mohairs, Melions, Checks and Plaids.
$4.00 Check Skirts, now $1.98.
$2.50 Black Brilliantine Skirts, $1.39.
$5 Black Brilliantine Skirts, $2.98.
$7.50 Full Sweep Skirts, $4.95.
$10.50 Elegant Skirts, $6.98.
$15 Skirts, $8.75.
$17.50 Skirts, $10.75.

MACKINTOSHES AND CRAVENETTES.
500 Garments to select from. Prices from $1.00 to $16.50.

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4 to 14 year sizes.
$2 White Dresses, now 98c.
$3 White Dresses, now $1.49.
$5 White Dresses, now $2.49.

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Our entire line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets marked down from 50 to 60 per cent.

New line of Bathing Suits in Flannel or Mohair. Lowest Prices.

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SECOND EDITION

SILVER CAMPAIGN

Now Making Rapid Progress Everywhere.

McKINLEY CANNOT CARRY HIS OWN STATE.

Maine Democrats to Get Into Line.

The campaign goes bravely on all over the country and the indications are that Bryan and Sewall will sweep several states which have been considered strongly republican and which Mark Hanna has set down for his candidate and party.

Even Ohio, McKinley's stamping ground, is said to be silver crazy so much so that even Hanna thinks he will not be able to buy enough votes to carry the state for the party. Judge Ditter, a gold democrat of Ohio, speaking of the silver sentiment in that state says:

"I never saw such a situation in politics before," he said. "Many waves of sentiment have swept over Ohio; but I have never seen anything like the present. In the country districts the silver sentiment is intense. Every man you see is loaded with arguments, and there is no use trying to talk with him.

"The silver men have been reading everything they could get hold of on their side of the question, until they can outtalk Harvey. They are as glibas possible with arguments which I regard as false, but which they are satisfied with, and they will dance all over any man who says gold. It has become a sort of religion with them and they will not listen to nor tolerate opposition. You can't make any impression on them any more than you can argue a man out of his religious faith. The thing has spread so that I regard the result in the state as doubtful, and perhaps with the probability favorable to Bryan.

At all events, it is by no means certain that McKinley can carry the state. The normal republican majority is about 25,000. That is the safe natural republican majority. There are about 52,000 populist votes and 20,000 prohibition votes. Bryan will probably get 50,000 populist votes and 15,000 prohibition. That is, he will get the silver votes of these two parties.

"In the cities there will be a considerable gold democratic vote for McKinley; in the country districts there will be a large silver republican vote for Bryan. These may pretty nearly offset each other, though it looks as if Bryan would get more republican votes in the country than he will lose democrats in the cities.

"There is hardly anything but silver talked throughout the state. The men around the threshing machines at lunch time, the groups around the country stores and about the village hotels, republicans and democrats head to head, are talking about the money question. Men who never before could talk together without punching each others' heads are hand-in-hand, or are talking the matter over from different standpoints in a sympathetic spirit. If any one says gold there will at once be half a dozen men to jump on him.

"I had a gold bug on my coat. A farmer came up to me and took hold of my coat collar, and held the goldbug button up to view. 'That's the bug that got into our wheat,' he said, 'and reduced it 50 per cent.' It is silver, silver, silver, all through the country districts.

At the state democratic convention in Michigan to be held next month, it is intended to put up a fusion ticket which the populists will endorse and support. By that means the state can be easily carried for Bryan and Sewall.

Ex-Gov. Thayer of Nebraska, in talking with McKinley said Bryan would not carry Nebraska but it is generally conceded that Mr. Thayer was talking through his sombrero.

There is yet some slight confusion over the populist ticket. Mr. Bryan's views are awaited with interest while Watson says the populists should have nominated two men of their own party.

All readers of the Sun, when in Boston, are invited to call at the Bryan and Sewall headquarters, 127A Tremont street. The state organization has been perfected.

Rep. Mellen, well known over the state, in speaking of the campaign says that such men as Gargan and Senator Corbett will be all right when the time comes, but it is such men as Mathews, attorneys for big corporations that are trying to hold on to the strings. But there are hundreds ready to jump on the band wagon when the music begins to play.

Wakefield in Line.

The town committee of Wakefield met last night and endorsed the Chicago platform and ticket, and pledged its support to Hon. George Fred Williams.

At the Capital.

Washington, July 30.—It is stated at the Democratic congressional campaign committee headquarters that the entire force is buried under the demands for literature to be used in the campaign. In reply to a question as to whether inquiries were for silver literature, the official in charge responded: "Entirely, we get no other requests." The committee is far behind its orders in the matter of documents, and a larger force will be employed in the mailing and folding departments.

At the headquarters of the Republican congressional campaign committee there seems to be a larger force employed, and already tons of documents are being sent out. Vice Chairman Apsley says that the demand is for financial literature and tariff literature. The committee is now supplying a very large amount of tariff documents to every section of the country.

The Silver forces came to Washington yesterday to make arrangements for temporary headquarters. These headquarters will be maintained until the Democratic national committee headquarters are permanently established. The Silver headquarters will be established at the same place.

McKinley Gets Bust of Himself.

Canton, O., July 30.—A committee from the University of Chicago yesterday called on Major McKinley, as the representative of the Republican club of that school, to pay their respects to the Republican candidate and to present to him a life-sized marble bust of himself. The bust was made by Hans Hirsch, the noted sculptor of that city. The bust is finished in American parian marble, mounted on a mahogany plaque.

Bryan Republicans Barred.

Denver, July 30.—The Colorado Republican state central committee yesterday passed a resolution endorsing McKinley and Hobart, and ruling all Republicans who had announced themselves for Bryan and Sewall out of the deliberations of the party.

Around Boston.

The gold men were confident yesterday that the Hon. Thomas J. Gargan would make the contest with the Hon. George Fred Williams for the democratic nomination for governor. The very fact that Mr. Gargan at the conference in ex-Mayor Matthew's office did not forthwith decline the proffered honor, is the source of their confidence that he will stand. Mr. Gargan himself has kept his personal views to himself, only it is understood that he intended to consult his physician to ascertain if his health would permit him to enter upon a vigorous and desperately fought campaign. A favorable reply is expected of him tomorrow.

The silver men are not alarmed in the slightest over the situation, even with Gargan in it. They say that Williams, with the prestige of Bryan and Sewall behind him, will sweep every democratic ward in the city and will go into the convention overwhelmingly ahead. Mr. Williams will be kept pretty busy on the stump from now till the November election. He seems to thoroughly enjoy the fight now on and his lieutenants claim that he has already won it.

Chairman Corcoran will sail for Europe next week, and will not return until somewhere near the middle of September. During his absence the affairs of the democratic party will be looked after by the Hon. John H. Sullivan of East Boston, formerly an alderman, and long the treasurer of the committee. Today a meeting will be held at headquarters, at which time Chairman Corcoran will give his final instructions as to the management of the coming campaign during his trip abroad.

Williams' Dates.

The busiest man in the whole city these days is the Hon. George Fred Williams. Every mail brings him scores of letters, many are of congratulatory order, and many are applications for speaking dates. Two stenographers are kept busy with his correspondence, and yesterday it was announced that he would speak as follows: Aug. 1, Newport, Vt.; Aug. 3, West Lynn; Aug. 4, New Haven, Conn.; Aug. 6, Newport. No open air meeting will be considered, and in the latter part of August he will take a rest of ten days. Requests for other speakers are pouring in and Mr. T. W. Conkely is engaged for Weymouth tonight.

Bryan in Boston.

The Hon. William J. Bryan will speak in Boston at no distant day. He will first visit Mr. Sewall in Bath, Me., and then return by way of Boston. Mechanic's hall will be engaged, and his admirers say it won't be big enough to hold the crowd that will flock to hear him.

ONE OF THOSE GAMES

Where Fun is Superior to Science—The Hobans Meet Defeat at Mountain Rock.

Mountain Rock was, yesterday, the scene of another gory base ball battle in which the Hoban Pets, heretofore undefeated, and the Burns Pets, a new organization, crossed bats on the green sward. The Hobans have been defeating the Cushings and other teams and consequently thought they were invincible but being original they went up against their Waterloo a few months ahead of McKinley and hence there was no rejoicing at the Lowell inn last night while Joe Cassidy, who twirled for the Hobans, could not be found. Joe thinks he is a pitcher and his friends are willing to let it go at that.

The nines were somewhat differently composed than heretofore, and by the way, who is Burns? Why, Willie Burns of Belvidere, the old time ball player in Henry O'Brien's class. Willie captained the Burns' Pets and they were hot stuff too. Among them were Denny Murphy of the Emeralds and Percy Kane of the same team, then there was Murphy of the Mathews, Tom Connors, brother of Roger of Walla Walla fame, and there was Henry O'Brien, Billy Fitzgerald, Magee, the professional, Hugh Duffy of North Chelmsford and of course little Willie Burns himself.

On the Hoban's there were Cassidy, the artistic pitcher, artistic if nothing else, Courtney, who used to pitch for the Putney Hoeys', little Willie Conway from Beth Sadler, who worked without martingales, Rolleo, who could play ball to beat the orchestra, Jimmie Conners, the suburban wonder, McGrath, McCarthy and Billy O'Hara, all experts in their line. Young Hoban played one inning, foreseeing the beating his pets were going to get, he wisely decided to go home.

The Hoban's made a good start but are the eight innings had been played they were out of it. Florrie Murphy, umpired until well he thought it was time to go home anyway, and Dan Sullivan took his place but there was no need of him for all the good he did. The score by innings was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Hobans	3	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	—7
Burns	1	0	2	4	5	0	1	2	—15

PERSONAL.

Peter Ouillette left last evening on a trip to Canada.

Philip J. Farley, Esq., is at Nantasket Beach for a few days.

The boys up around the North common enjoy a bath in the common pond every day.

Several Lowell persons will attend the Bryan ratification meeting in New York Aug. 12.

Chairman Pearson of the democratic city committee is spending a few days in the country.

Miss Letina A. Whitney entertained a party of friends at her home on Westford street last evening.

Mrs. Thomas Gorman and Miss Matilda McCormack of South street are at Long pond for a few weeks.

Mr. Oliver J. Chalifoux connected with J. L. Chalifoux's store in Birmingham, Ala., is visiting in this city.

Miss Lizzie Duffy of New York is visiting the Misses Kelly of Andover street for a few weeks. On her return home she will visit Cottage City.

The Lowell Ice Company's 16 to 1 Estimate.

That is about all you can hear on the street, and when speaking of these mystic numbers, it of course means a money standard, but that is all politics, but when housekeepers are talking about pure crystal lake ice, that is about the difference in favor when compared with river ice that is heavily loaded with germs. The Lowell Ice Co. are having all that they can do to supply their patrons during this hot spell, but they intend to keep pace with the times, so that anyone who desires to have this superior quality of ice are sure to be supplied. There is always room for a good thing, and their patrons have the satisfaction of knowing that there is nothing better than the best, and that the Lowell Ice company is the best. If you have not tried it, start now when the heated weather makes everybody feel like having a cool drink. Remember you can get them by telephone, or drop them a card, and you will find you will get more ice in quality and quantity, and that it will go further than any other by a majority of 16 to 1.

To Sail for Europe.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's agency to leave Boston on the Cunard line steamer Cephalonia for a three month's stay in the old country: Mrs. Emeline Leary, Albert Leary, Mr. John Kennedy, Mr. Sydney C. Wilmott, Mary Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Booth, James Lane, Mary Williams, Mrs. Mary A. Bushby, Florence and Stella Bushby, Mrs. John Grant, James and Jessie W. Grant, Mrs. Mary Moloney, John J. and Mary E. Maloney, Robert Arneill and James R. Hastings.

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Cottage house and about 3000 feet of land at 26 Butterfield Street. House contains 9 rooms, steam heat, bath room, hot and cold water, cemented cellar and there is plenty of room in rear of house to build another house or stable. Good neighborhood. Inquire on premises between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m.

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Gardner, 20 Prescott street, has a good Upright Piano, seven octaves for Sixty Five Dollars—Friday—It's just what you want.

The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s EXPORT BEER

Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery, is the

Best Spring Tonic

Just Out. For Sale by All Local Dealers.

LATEST

NEWSBOYS' FETE

Great Sport at Their Annual Picnic

GIVEN BY MR. CHALIFOUX AT LAKEVIEW.

Chalifoux Roundly Cheered For Highest Offices.

"You must wake and call me early, call me early mudder, dear," cried hundreds of newsboys last night as they retired to their beds hopeful, yet dubious of the morrow's project.

Perhaps you think it was a May party they had in mind but no May party that was ever held could hold a candle to the seventh annual newsboys' picnic given yearly by J. L. Chalifoux, the well known Central street business man and philanthropist.

It is a bit of philanthropy that is always highly appreciated not only by the boys themselves, but by the parents many of whom cannot afford them the luxury of an outing.

Weather has no terror for them and sure as the day comes around the newsboys are all on deck ready to put as much fun into a few hours freedom from restraint as can be imagined.

"Wot time d'you get up?"

"Five o'clock. It was rainin' hard, so I sneaks back ter bed an' may be I wozn't sore."

"I got up at five but I knew dere'd be a picnic anyhow."

"Get on ter de guy wid de straw hat; I kin see his finish."

"Get on ter Shorty; he's got his mug washed."

Such were the remarks of the youngsters of all sizes, ages, and conditions as they awaited the electrics in the square before 8 o'clock. At that hour five cars filled with the boys left Page street.

And then came the surprise of the day. As Mr. Chalifoux, beaming with smiles, stepped on the car, the youngsters cheered him lustily, and ere the "tigers" had died away a little shaver mounted a seat and yelled "Three cheers for free silver," and then it was as if bedlam had broken loose. They cheered long and wildly, alternating the huzzas with cries of "What's the matter with free silver?" "It's all right." "Three more for silver."

Mr. Chalifoux was never so taken back in his life, for he had no idea that the boys had been reading up the currency question.

They continued to cheer Chalifoux and silver until Lakeview was reached, when politics, the rain and everything else was forgotten.

It is estimated that 550 went across on the boat to Mountain Rock, while about 100 more got there in different ways.

At Mountain Rock they were in charge of Mr. Chalifoux and five of his employes, whose hands were kept full of work until the boys settled down to the day's enjoyment.

Mirault's band was there and furnished music for the picnickers.

After a couple of hundred had been in swimming and the swings exhausted the crowd repaired to the ball field where the News and Star teams had at it. The teams were as follows:

News—Brady, p.; Blyde, Marion, Connors, Crowley, Mooney, Simpson, Merville and Maguire.

Star—Tyrrell, c.; Murray, p.; Boyle, s. s.; Davis, 1b.; Cummings, 2b.; Kelly, 3b.; McHugh, l. f.; Jackson, r. f.; Tracey, m. The first umpire was Mr. Stemkey, though his life was threatened if he made a bad decision.

Mr. Chalifoux was as happy as any of the boys, though a trifle disappointed at the weather. Said he, "I know of no investment a man could make which gives more real genuine pleasure than one of these newsboy's picnics. I can think of no better way to make the boys happy."

The ball game over the cry was dinner, and everyone repaired to the big dining hall where Tom Golden had prepared a sumptuous banquet. After dinner the boys reluctantly turned their faces homeward with more cheers for free silver and Chalifoux and arrived in town in time to sell their afternoon papers.

"What's the matter with Chalifoux," was a frequent shout on the cars and in each case came back from a chorus of hundreds of voices, "He's all right."

The boys got back at 3 p. m. On their homeward trip they cheered Mr. Chalifoux as candidate for lieutenant governor, for congressman and even for presidential honors. There is no honor which the average newsboy thinks too high for Mr. Chalifoux.

GRAND JURY ADJOURNS

Has Not Finished Consideration of the Horse Deal.

The grand jury which has been hearing evidence in the horse deal case adjourned at 3.30 yesterday afternoon to Friday morning. Up to this time Charles Clapp, who is ill at home, has not testified, his physician's certificate being produced in court. It is generally believed that the evidence is practically all in save that of Mr Clapp, and it is possible that this adjournment is for the purpose of allowing him to convalesce. However, it is not probable that the jury's report will be ready Friday.

The jury will report to the court whether or not a true bill is found. The time for reporting to the court has not been announced but the court can be convened at any time the jury signifies that it is ready to report.

Social Party.

The Misses Slavin held a very delightful party last evening at their home on South street, in honor of their guests, Mrs. and Miss Norton of New York. Whist was played during the evening, first prize being won by Miss Nellie O'Grady and the booby by Miss Sadie O'Connor. After refreshments, vocal and instrumental music was enjoyed till a late hour.

Kittredge's Men on Strike.

A. H. Kittredge's stone cutters at work on the Granite street bridge at Manchester struck Tuesday for a nine hour day and time and a half for over work.

That Tired Feeling

Makes you seem "all broken up," without life, ambition, energy or appetite. It is often the forerunner of serious illness, or the accompaniment of nervous troubles. It is a positive proof of thin, weak, impure blood; for, if the blood is rich, red, vitalized and vigorous, it imparts life and energy to every nerve, organ and tissue of the body. The necessity of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for that tired feeling is therefore apparent to every one, and the good it will do you is equally beyond question. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

HE'S GETTING DIZZY.

AND THE STORM HAS JUST BEGUN.

DEATHS.

MARTIN—Mr. Bernard Martin died yesterday at the residence of C. W. Holmes, at Long pond, of a lingering illness. He leaves five children, Mrs. M. J. Sullivan, Bernard J. Martin, Mrs. Edward Kelly, Jr., of Canada, Mr. John R. Martin of Woonsocket and Mrs. C. W. Holmes. He was a lifelong resident of Lowell and worked in the carpet mills for many years as mason and was well known by old residents.

CLAPP—Sarah A. Clapp, a maiden lady, aged 50 years, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her brother, Charles Clapp, 1296 Middlesex street. Deceased had been ill for a long time. The remains will be forwarded to Royalton, Vt., for interment.

GILL—Dennis F. Gill, aged 18 years, son of Peter and Ellen E. Gill, died last evening at their home, 223 Lincoln street. Funeral at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

MURPHY—Timothy Murphy, aged 59 years, died last evening at his home, 94 Common street. He leaves a wife and family. One of his sons is Patrick Murphy of St. Patrick's Cadet band. Funeral at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

McGILLIAN—Kate McGillian, aged 5 years, daughter of Michael and Rose McGillian, died last evening at their home in East Chelmsford. The funeral took place this afternoon and was largely attended. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

MOONEY—Margaret V. Mooney, child of John and Bridget Mooney, died yesterday afternoon at their home, rear of 396 Market street. The funeral was held this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

Marriage Intention.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

James S. Ryder 30, to Isabella Moore 20.
Simon Poproecz 27, to Mary Mesuda 18.

Who does your printing? THE SUN job print would do it well and save you money.

FREE RIDE ON THE ELECTRICS DURING AUGUST

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With every purchase amounting to $1.00 and over.

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The electric road reaching out into the farthest parts of the city with our free ride system fully answers the demand and brings the people to our door.

These tickets are good at any time over the lines of the Lowell & Suburban road in any direction and you receive one with every purchase of shoes from $1. and upwards beginning Saturday Aug. 1st. Our

SEMI-ANNUAL MARKDOWN

of all kinds of

FOOTWEAR

For young and old of both sexes is now in full swing. Now is the time one dollar does the work of two in purchasing Shoes of us.

Look at the Bargains in our Windows

O'SULLIVAN BROS

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COAL IS GOING UP. Don't burn it. Order a load of Slabs from COGGER & CO., 23 Concord St. Our Slabs are dry and free from knots. Large load for $1.00.

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One Dollar Corsets

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MR. FIFIELD INTERVIEWED

ON THE MONEY QUESTION AND FOR GOLD.

He Stands With the Bankers of the Country as Might be Expected—What He Says.

In an interview with a morning paper Hon. George W. Fifield is quoted as follows on the money question:

"The money question", said he, "is unfortunately the least understood by the public at large and with all his intelligence the American citizen is really altogether at sea concerning all it implies.

"The two expressions gold and silver party means of themselves really nothing to the layman. If they are to be intelligently understood, great care should be taken to study the question in all its intricate bearings.

"Gold or silver as referred to at present in a general way when talking about 16 to 1 or similar well circulated expressions, have no special significance to the casual observer or reader unless they are accompanied by details of such provisions as the gold or silver acts or laws imply.

"The real, the genuine, the honest and non-partisan question is this," continued the busy banker, looking over a lot of letters, checks and such like, which lay before him. "Will the United States government deliberately destroy the monetary standard—gold? Of course it is well understood that if our national government issues, or authorizes an issue, such issue redeemable in gold, this is naturally the general standard, and it is pretty much the standard all over the world.

"But personally I find myself in a rather unpleasant situation. Let me make my meaning perfectly clear: The democratic party have come out with a pronounced and radical free silver platform and free silver candidates. I am in sympathy with neither, leaving personalities and merits or demerits altogether out of the present discussion. The republican party stands upon a strict and unequivocal gold platform—good enough—that is what we all want. But, you see there is a but, and I might as well tell the Mail exactly how I feel in the matter. I do not quite like the non-committal behavior of the republican candidate. He should have been more outspoken, I think. He had time enough to state his views on the silver question. Why did he not do it? And, then, was he not acceptable even to the silver delegates, before the hairbrained proceedings in Chicago, put such an unexpected aspect upon the entire money question? I ask you candidly, had not Mr. McKinley done wiser, and were it not more confidence-inspiring, if he had come out squarely and stated his position in reference to the suffrage and the campaign issues in so many words?

"As to my own personal plans? Well, sir, there you have got me. I would really not like to say anything for publication regarding what I intend doing, or whether I again will be actively interested in this fall's campaign. You see, it would not do for me to put myself forward by saying one thing or another under the present circumstances and my present attitude toward the democratic party. But when the time comes I will not hesitate to state my position."

It Was Misleading.

In regard to the interview credited to Mr. Fifield in the Morning Mail that gentleman says that it was not correct in that it omitted some things, he said, which would have put a different aspect on some of his statements. He stated to the Mail man as he did to other newspapermen previously that under no condition would he vote for McKinley.

POLICE NOTES.

At the roll call in the police station, last evening, Lieut. Kew announced that Officer Willis L. Gardner, was fined 30 days' pay for neglect of duty, or violation of rule 19.

Last March Frank Garland of Adams street complained to the police that his brother-in-law, Bernard Coughlin had stolen his suit of clothes. Bernard left the city and remained away till today. This morning he was seen coming down Middlesex street and Inspectors Lafiamme and Allen arrested him.

Clerk Charles H. Conant of the local civil service board of examiners today notified Police Officer Hugh Downey that he had successfully passed the recent civil service examination for promotion to the position of sergeant, attaining the high rank of 90.97.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Lakeview Theatre.

There was another large and well pleased audience at the performance of the "Arabian Nights" at Lakeview theatre, last night. The play and the company are becoming more popular every day.

To Build State Highway.

The bids for rough surfacing and building culverts for the state highway to Tyngsboro from the boulevard, as opened in the office of county commission, are as follows: C. H. Hanson & Co., $5698.50; B. G. Brown, $5596.20; Cyrus Barton, $5188; Connors Bros., $5017; E. Lawrence of Tyngsboro, $4323, and got the contract.

THE SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

HE WILL STAND

Thomas E. Watson Will Be Candidate Bryan's Associate.

WILL ACCEPT SECOND PLACE ON POPULIST TICKET.

In Order to Preserve Autonomy of Party.

Atlanta, Ga., July 30. Hon. Thomas E. Watson today prints an editorial in his paper, on the subject of the vice presidential nomination. In it he refers to Sewall as "an individual of standing and a free silver democrat" and says it was necessary to nominate a populist for vice president in order to preserve the autonomy of the party, particularly in the south.

The editorial is regarded as an ultimatum that he will stand as the vice presidential candidate. There are several insinuations in the editorial and Mr. Watson seems to make a strong plea for the withdrawal of Sewall, in order that he may be Bryan's associate.

THREE WHITE WHALES.

People at Cape Ann Thought They Were a Sea Serpent.

Plymouth, July 30.—Capt. Fay of the Clio of this port has solved the story of the sea serpent which it was thought was seen off Cape Ann yesterday. He says that while out sailing yesterday in that vicinity he saw three white whales moving along one after the other.

SHOT THE AGENT.

Masked Men Break Into an Illinois Central Station.

Springfield, Ill., July 30—Two masked men broke into the Illinois central railroad station at Walker and shot and probably fatally injured Agent Campbell.

ITALIAN WARSHIP SUNK.

Was Struck by Lightning and Set on Fire.

Rome, Sply 30—The Italian armored warship, Roma, was struck by lightning today and set on fire. The blaze reached the magazine and it was found necessary to sink the boat by firing torpedoes.

WATCHMAN DRAGGED AWAY.

Mines Set on Fire and the Damage Will Amount to $25,000.

Sullivan, Ind., July 30.—The old mine of the Pittsburg railroad at Hymera was burned today.

Yesterday a committee of the Miners' union tried to induce the men at work there to stop. They refused, and at two o'clock this morning a party went to the mine, seized the watchman and dragged him away. Shortly afterwards the mine was discovered on fire. The loss will be $25,000.

KILLED HIS FRIEND'S SON.

Patrolman Myer Shot at Some Young Men And One Fell Dead.

New York, July 30.—Frank Wollworen, aged 17, son of a barber was killed by Patrolman Myer early this morning. The patrolman saw him with two others, jump from a window of a saloon. He supposed they were burglars and called on them to stop or he would fire. They kept on running and Myer discharged his revolver. Wollworen fell dead on the sidewalk, the bullet having passed through his head. When the patrolman reached the spot where the body lay, he recognized the boy as the son of his close personal friend.

BIG BLAZE IN MONTREAL.

Two Fires Call Out the Entire Department—Damage Will be $200,000.

Montreal, July 30.—The great Montreal exhibition build was burned today. Fire started in the power house of the Montreal Park and Island building. At the time the department was responding to a third alarm for a fire in the Howden, Starke hardware company's building, and the entire apparatus in that section was out. When the fire brigade arrived the exhibition building was a mass of flames. Several electric cars and much other property were destroyed. The loss will be $160,000. The loss of the hardware company will reach $50,000.

Gloucester Fishing Boat Ashore.

Wakefield, R. I., July 30.—The Gloucester fishing schooner Blue Jay, ran ashore at Point Judith last night and was lost. The crew was saved.

Gold Democrats Will Convene.

Marshaltown, Ia., July 30.—A call has been issued for a convention of gold democrats to be held Aug. 4, to elect delegates to the conference which will be held in Indianapolis, Aug. 7.

BADLY BURNED.

Charles Knowles Frightfully Burned by Molten Iron.

Tuesday morning, at the North Chelmsford foundry, Charles Knowles, a young man of 28, was badly burned by molten iron. He was carrying a pot of it which was upset and he was frightfully burned about the ankle. He was removed to his home in West Chelmsford.

Free Ride Sale.

O'Sullivan Bros., the popular shoe dealers on Merrimack street, will inaugurate a grand free ride sale on next Saturday. Any purchaser to the amount of $1 will get one ticket good for a ride in any direction on the electrics. See ad.

GOING OUT OF TOWN?

Many times a Mackintosh coat will do double duty; it is a protection against rain of course, and on a pinch answers for a light weight top coat.

We have both: mackintoshes—the guaranteed kind, —$5.00 to $15.—top coats, $8.00 to $20.

Sole leather cases, iron frames, linen lined, $5.00 to $7.00.

Negligee shirts, Garner percales—usually a dollar, now 50c.

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166 Central Street.

MR. N. J. MATHEWS

His Rise and Fall as a Democrat.

WOULD BE DICTATOR IN DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

Whitney's Tin Gladiator Defies the Democracy.

The recent utterance of Nathan Matthews, Jr., in which he vilified the southern and western democrats as "white trash and anarchists," is interesting for its audacity and impudence.

Who is Nathan Matthews, Jr.? He is the son of a real estate dealer of the same name, whose personality and career have not made a profound impression on the age. The junior Matthews is an illustration of the futility of raising adders if you expect to be bitten by them.

Nathan Matthews was one of a number of impecunious, inconsequential, young persons, who emerged from the obscurity of pettifoggery in the days when a brigade of super-virtuous individuals mugwumped out of the republican party. Until that historic moment Nathan and his brethren were to fame and fortune unknown. They posed as a superior, nay, a celestial, band of young statesmen, took them seriously, and had a keen eye for the main chance. The democratic party took them up, put ideas into their empty heads, dollars into their empty pockets, and gave them place and importance.

As do all beggars on horseback, they began to ride to the devil.

Nathan became a reformer with a capital R, and was made a mayor by the party. From reformer he developed into a boss, not a mere vulgar ward room boss, but a boss with a halo. Some men are mayors of Boston. Nathan was emperor of it; an imperial, head-tossing, star-eyed autocrat. He felt his coats, he pawed the air, he carried weights in his boots to keep him on the vulgar earth. Suddenly the fiery-eyed reformer of monopolists and trusts passed with meteoric splendor from the role of political purist to the gilt-edged job of running the business he had so ostentatiously attacked. As the paid creature of trusts he was unable to tolerate attacks on vested interests and all the other fol de rol so dear to the heart and tongue of the conservators of society. Suddenly Addicks threw down the junoir Nathan and a mere cop in New York made him settle for a telephone message or go to the cooler. Here was a drop for the ex-czar of Boston. Then like all the tribe of shop-worn reformers, whose heads have grown out of all proportion to what they term his brains, he became a mere everyday mercenary, trading with trusts on the glamor gained from the votes of the common democracy.

Whitney's little tin gladiator now defies the democracy and threatens to hurl it from the globe and is in a dreadful state of mind. He has not inspected the fish wharves of Boston in vain. As view his diatribes about "white trash and anarchists." The southern slave owner vowed to count his slaves and call their roll in the shadow of Bunker Hill. He failed, but Nathan junior, promises to do the job for his masters now and call the roll of his slaves anywhere in Massachusetts, Bunker Hill or Beacon Hill.

Won't somebody please turn the hose on Nathan and assure him that what he calls his principles and his conscience are merely his paymasters and his plunder. He is swollen like the frog who wished to be taken for an ox. It is about time that Nathan and his bolting, golden brethren were spanked and turned adrift to earn an honest living if he can. He is just now only very, very wearisome. This Caesar business without Caesar's legions is a trifle ridiculous. Mr. Matthews should realize that he is no longer in the legitimate drama, he is now only a comic opera star soon to disappear from the public gaze.

INTEREST BEGINS

August 1st. in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank at the ratio of four per cent. per annum, on money deposited before 4 p. m., Monday, Aug. 3rd. Interest compounded semi-annually. Bank hours, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily. Saturdays, 8 a. m. to 1 p. m., and Saturday evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock.

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6 50	8 02	6 49	*8 06
*7 01	7 58	8 00	9 11
*7 18	8 02	*8 33	§9 10
*7 25	8 12	9 00	9 46
*7 33	8 50	§9 30	§10 07
7 40	8 55	10 00	11 15
*7 45	8 55	10 45	11 58
*8 30	9 49	11 30	§12 07
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9 45	10 49	1 00	§1 38
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§12 15	1 07	*2 00	§3 4
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*5 22	6 15	5 55	7 00
5 33	6 55	6 15	7 34
*5 24	7 11	*7 30	8 10
*5 47	8 30	*8 10	9 40
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		11 30	12 25

Sunday Trains.

§7 18	8 02	7 15	§8 05
§7 37	8 12	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 57
§9 16	10 10	5 00	§5 50
§4 25	5 32	7 30	§8 15
§6 56	7 60	8 00	§8 47
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 03	7 30	*8 35
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 39	10 27	11 40
10 50	12 02	1 50	1 02
12 05	1 27	2 15	3 13
12 45	1 50	3 50	4 23
2 30	3 41	3 40	4 55
2 55	4 02	4 25	5 15
3 05	5 23	5 01	6 29
5 10	6 43	6 01	7 09
6 15	7 10	6 35	7 44
7 00	8 05	9 40	10 11
9 30	10 44	11 15	12 15

Sunday Trains.

8 15	9 27	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 27	11 45	12 58
4 15	5 26	5 00	6 27
5 30	6 20	8 40	9 40
8 45	9 58		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

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FOR PRESIDENT,

WILLIAM J. BRYAN of Nebraska

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

ARTHUR SEWALL of Maine

Now is the vacation season, and it is not surprising to find some of the factories closing for a week or two.

It is not often that rain starts a fire, but the rain of yesterday morning caused a stubborn fire in Livingston's coal yard.

Hon. Thomas J. Gargan of Boston, is not the stamp of a democrat who bolts when his individual interests are involved.

The people of Lowell are anxiously awaiting the outcome of the horse deal. The taxpayers of the city will rejoice if the grand jury indicts the horse traders.

The democrats of Maine will get together again on August 6, to endorse the platform and ticket of the Chicago convention. The state committee of Maine is all right.

When the mortgages on Stetson's property are lifted, the net amount will not be so large as expected. If divided among the half dozen alleged wives it would not enrich them.

The Young Men's Democratic club of Boston should hurry out of existence. It has outlived its usefulness, and remains only as a reproach to the democracy of Massachusetts.

Now a McKinley flag waves in Pawtucketville and everybody is happy, we presume. The flag will do no harm. Its unfurling was attended by hundreds of men whose refusal to turn out would have led to their discharge from the mills. They were mostly French and Greeks who do the bidding of their bosses in such cases and vote as they please on election day.

The advocates of the gold standard do not seem to realize that free silver would afford the best protection to American manufacturers and American labor. It would put the prices so high that England could not afford to compete in our markets. The price of labor would move upward with the increased price of goods, and all kinds of industries in this country would start on a career of prosperity.

We give credit to Patrick Maguire of Boston who went to Chicago and fought with all his might for the gold standard, but when defeated said he was willing to abide by the will of the majority, and to turn out and work for the election of Bryan and Sewall. Bravo Maguire, that is the course of the true democrat. Now give up Moran and stand by Hon. George Fred Williams.

The silver sentiment is stronger in Lowell than is generally supposed. The so-called sound money league of New York has for the past two years been steadily sending its literature throughout the country. It is time the silver advocates established bureaus for the distribution of free silver literature, because there seems to be no subject upon which there is such gross ignorance as upon this question of the currency, or free coinage of silver.

Tom Reed at Alfred, Me., last night uttered the keynote of his campaign. He gets behind the currency issue, goes back to calamity talk and scouts the "silver party's mushroom issue." This is no mushroom issue however; it has been coming to the front since 1873. It has been reducing values and robbing debtors during all that time and now the masses are up in arms for its settlement. If the gold standard remained fixed there would be no complaint, but it has been appreciating ever since silver was demonetized, robbing debtor for creditor on time contracts and robbing the United States for England and other foreign investors.

THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

DEMOCRACY'S PROSPECTS

BRILLIANT OUTLOOK FOR SUCCESS IN NOVEMBER.

208 Electoral Votes Certain—Indiana and Illinois Give Every Hope of Victory—Careful and Conservative Estimate Gives Bryan a Majority in the Electoral College.

It is universally conceded that there will be a considerable bolt from the Republican party in all the states west of the Mississippi, while the Democrats will lose very few votes. As a matter of fact the Democracy in all those states has been running on free silver platforms for the last four years. Whatever Democratic element will refuse to support Bryan because of the silver plank in the platform was lost four years ago. The silver Republicans constitute from 5 to 75 per cent of their party in these states, but while they will increase the Democratic majority they are not essential to it.

The Republicans had majorities in only two states west of the Mississippi in 1892, Iowa and Wyoming. They carried Minnesota and Nebraska, it is true, but only by a division of the bimetallists. With Bryan at the head of the ticket there is no danger of Nebraska to the Democratic ticket. Minnesota may possibly be considered doubtful. There is a Democratic-Populist majority there of 5,400, but there are some goldbug Democrats. As, however, a big bolt from the Republican party on the silver issue, headed by the lieutenant governor and two congressmen, has already taken place, the chances are decidedly in favor of Democratic success.

South of the Ohio there are but two states which can be considered in any way doubtful—Kentucky and West Virginia. Indeed, in most of the other southern states the Republican party is prosilver, and thousands of former Republican votes will go to the Democratic ticket on that issue.

The principal reason for classing Kentucky as Republican is that it went for that party by a small majority in the late state election. This is a very poor reason for expecting it to be Republican in the presidential contest. Colonel Wat Hardin, the Democratic candidate for governor, made the contest last year under the most disadvantageous circumstances. He ran on a goldbug platform, which he opposed and which lost him thousands of Populist votes. The gold men worked assiduously to defeat him, and the gold men were much stronger then than they are now. There has been a wonderful awakening in Kentucky on the financial issue, as was shown in the late Democratic primaries, when the state, which the goldbugs had carried but a few months before, was swept for silver. When we remember by how slim a majority the Democracy was defeated in Kentucky on a goldbug platform, no one can doubt its success today.

But we have not taken into consideration the central western states, where the campaign will be waged. There will doubtless be a campaign in Ohio, but we do not at present see any chance of success there. On the other hand, Indiana and Illinois give every hope of victory. Indiana has always leaned that way, but Illinois promises even better. There is a handsome margin of 49,200 in that state. Moreover, the Republican strength is concentrated in the rural districts, and it is the farmers who feel the oppression of goldbugism most and have joined the bimetallic ranks in consequence. Nowhere in all the country has the silver question been studied more carefully, and nowhere have there been so many converts. Unless we are greatly mistaken, Illinois will be for Bryan by a large majority.

With Illinois he can dispense with all the doubtful states and have eight votes to spare. There will be a pretty fight in both Michigan and Wisconsin, where the Democracy will undoubtedly lose many votes because of its silver plank, but where already there has been a big bolt from the Republicans on this same issue. How this interchange of votes will affect the result can be guessed at only wildly. In fine, Mr. Bryan starts out with 208 votes sure and the following in the doubtful column:

Illinois	24
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
Michigan	14
West Virginia	6
Wisconsin	12
Total	84

If he gets all of them, he will have 58 more than he needs and a majority of 115, but this is scarcely likely. Of course the silver plank has damaged the Democratic prospects in the east and perhaps lost New Jersey, Connecticut and New York with its large electoral vote. The Democratic losses will be mainly in states where they will do no more than increasing McKinley's majorities; their gains will be in close states, which they will bring over to the Democratic column.

The nomination of a goldbug Democratic ticket would probably help the silver cause rather than injure it, for it will prevent the goldbug Democrats from going over to McKinley, where most of them are likely to otherwise land. Altogether the Democratic outlook is brilliant since it took up the Democratic fight for free silver, when, only a few weeks ago, it was recognized by all to be hopeless.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Qualified to Lead.

There is no doubt that by his talents, his will and his knowledge of men William J. Bryan is exceptionally qualified for the leadership of the great party which has honored him by practically electing him to the presidency.—Kansas City Times.

The Chicago convention was an assemblage of the people. Brave men were there pleading the cause of a nation, the cause of the masses against the classes, of prosperity against ruin.—Omaha World-Herald.

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THE QUESTION OF INTEREST.

Showing How the Credit System Impoverishes the Masses.

It is claimed that from 95 to 97 per cent of the business done in this country is done on credit. We find that nearly all business men are borrowers. A is a farmer and has to borrow money to carry on his business. He goes to his banker, borrows money at 8 per cent, adds 8 cents to every dollar's worth of wool, for instance, that he raises; sells to B, manufacturer, who is also a borrower. B adds 8 cents and sells to C, jobber, who adds his 8 cents and sells to D, wholesaler, who adds his 8 cents and sells to E, the retailer, and E, being a borrower, adds his 8 per cent interest. We find that in going the rounds from producer to consumer there has to be paid 40 cents interest on every dollar. You buy a suit of clothes from the retailer for $20. You pay $8 interest, whether you are aware of it or not, and this interest money goes into the hands of a class of people who do not add one dollar to the wealth of the country. Interest is like a lot of bloodsuckers on a healthy child. It cannot maintain itself and supply the ravenous appetites of the bloodsuckers. The amount the industries of the country are taxed annually to pay interest is appalling. If we take the total indebtedness in this country, which amounts to at least $40,000,000,000, and average the rate of interest at 7 per cent, we find the resources of the country are taxed $2,800,000,000 annually, which is $1,200,000,000 more than there is in the United States. When we stop to realize that the function of money is simply a medium of exchange to facilitate the exchange of the products of labor, the great injustice of varying rates of interest is apparent. For instance, a man doing business in New York borrows money at 6 per cent, and one borrowing in another state pays 10 per cent. The interest on $1,000 for 50 years at 6 per cent compounded amounts to $18,000, while loaned the same way for the same time at 10 per cent it amounts to $117,000, a difference of $99,000 in favor of the man borrowing at 6 per cent.—Railroad Telegrapher.

Rome gradually reduced her currency to a less volume and a finer metal. Very soon after the commencement of this contraction the manipulators procured all of the land, and 90 per cent of the people had none. The result was that the bone and sinew of the country were impoverished, and then came the destruction of the republic.

For All the People.

The nomination of Sewall of Maine shows that this will not be a sectional campaign. The fight will be made in every state on behalf of the whole people of the United States.—Kansas City Times.

A Magnet That Draws.

The Democratic ticket is charged with the kind of magnetism that draws votes.—St. Louis Republic.

The gold barons want the price of their dollars kept up and the price of the things their dollars buy kept down.

A queen is only a woman after all, and every woman is a queen if she be a perfect woman. The crown of womanhood is motherhood. There is no higher thing than this. There is no better thing that any woman can do than to be a mother of bright and happy children. That is the best and highest thing that anybody can do in this world. It cannot be achieved by a woman who isn't healthy, who suffers from any of the weaknesses or disorders peculiar to her sex. A false idea of modesty which prevents the acquisition of knowledge, and the carelessness which prevents an application of knowledge are the most prolific causes of this kind of sickness. Thirty years ago, knowledge of the prevalence of such disorders induced Dr. R. V. Pierce, than as now, chief consulting physician of the Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., to devote a great amount of time and study to the preparation of a remedy that would invigorate and strengthen the womanly organism — that would cure perfectly and positively all forms of female weakness — that would take the danger away from childbirth, and greatly lessen the pains of labor. This remedy is called Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. That it accomplished the object for which it was intended is proven by its remarkable and continued success for 30 years. Women will gain much knowledge by reading Dr. Pierce's great thousand page "Common Sense Medical Adviser." A free copy will be sent on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing *only*. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Everybody likes to see impertinent curiosity rebuked. There was great satisfaction, therefore, in a certain European hotel on a recent occasion. An old lady who had had her hair cut off after a severe illness and wore a wig in its place noticed a man looking curiously at her hair.

Soon after, on some excuse, he crossed the room and stood a moment behind where she sat. The lady rose, turned calmly around, and lifting her false hair from her head said:

"Yes, sir, you are quite right; it is a wig!"

The humiliation of the prying stranger was speechless.—Youth's Companion.

Lovely.

"What does all this talk about 16 to 1 mean?" asked the girl who thinks she ought to be interested in current affairs.

"It means," said the heartless villain, "that every girl shall have 16 proposals to every other girl's."

"Oh, how lovely!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

What We Are Coming To.

"Frederick," said she, "don't let the baby stand alone."

"Why, she's old enough to learn to walk."

"Old enough to learn to walk! Why, she hasn't even learned to ride a bicycle yet."—Washington Star.

A Definite Definition.

"What's an 'entr'note?'"

"That depends on the weather."

"Depends on the weather?"

"Yes. In the summer it's usually beer."—Detroit News.

After the Spanking.

Mother—It hurts mother more than it does you, my son.

Willie—Why don't you holler then?—New York Sunday World.

Fin de Siecle.

I'm an end of the century girl,
But really, between you and me,
I don't think the fun of the thing
Is quite what it's cracked up to be.

I've worked to emancipate woman,
I've tried to scorn dances and teas,
I've discarded my petticoats, too,
And arrayed myself boldly in—these!

I've swung on the parallel bars,
Read Ibsen, Nordau and George Moore;
I've toiled and I've spun on my wheel
Till all my anatomy's sore.

Tomorrow I'll cremate these togs
And lie in a hammock till night,
With the Duchess and fashions to left
And a box of French bonbons to right.

Yes, I've smoked, too, and gone through the slums
And inspected a big penitentiary,
And, hurrah, the goal is in sight,
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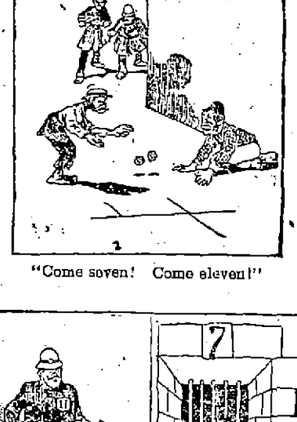

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HE WANTS TO DODGE THE CURRENCY ISSUE.

He Tries to Discredit the Free Silver Movement.

Alfred, Me., July 30.—A York county Republican mass meeting was addressed yesterday afternoon by Curtis S. Guild of Boston, and Speaker Reed.

Mr. Reed's opening words were these: "If I were going to give good advice to the people of the whole United States I should take this time to do it. Just now there is a great deal of froth and foam in the air, and some time is really needful to disclose clearly to every eye how much of it is the result of the temporary breeze which stills at nightfall, and how little there is of that heavy ground swell which shows that great elementary forces are at work. How very suddenly all this rush and stir has set itself into action."

After reviewing the situation, Mr. Reed said:

"If the demonetization of silver is a disease at all, it is a world disease. I defy anybody to find a single argument which proves that the demonetization of silver would be good for the United States, that does not prove that it would be good for the whole world. If it is a world disease, how can it be reached except by a world remedy? International bimetallism I can understand, but this driving out of gold and substitution of silver is only silver monometallism for the United States. It is not bimetallism for the world and a stable currency; but the shifting from gold currency and civilized Europe and going over to silver and Mexico, Japan, India and China. Oh, but China and Japan, India and Mexico are prosperous just now! Yes, but what kind of prosperity? The prosperity of cheap labor, growing cheaper every day. Manufacturers there may be prosperous and traders may be prosperous, but the people are not prosperous at all. Up here in Maine and New Hampshire paper pulp is made cheap. How? Because the manufacturer is close to cheap labor. In silver countries labor is cheap and kept cheap by the silver dollar. For my part I do not want that kind of prosperity. I want a prosperity which, by good wages to all, is shared by all. We want a broader life, broadened every day for all our people.

"I won't discuss the question whether the free coinage of silver will raise it to par or not. Very few people claim that it will, and if they did, I could not believe them. I was told in 1890, by two of the most sincere, as well as the ablest silver men, that the purchase of 4,500,000 ounces a month would raise silver to par, and when they did buy it silver went down like lead. Silver men have not been good prophets in the past. If, then, we are going to have a dollar inferior to what we have today, what will be the effect of it? Higher prices, they say. Not for everything. If you have $100 in the savings bank today you can get 100 gold dollars from the bank. If this wild project succeeds, and you are paid in silver, you will get the $100, but they will be 50 or 60 or 70 cent dollars. If you have a pension, that must be scaled down. If you have a bond, that goes down, too. Will the wage-earner be any better off? What you buy will go up. Will your wages go up, too? There you have experience to guide you. Wages during greenback times, measured in gold, did not go up as other things did. They went part way, but not all the way up, and were very slow about that. But wouldn't business be better for more money? It might be after a terrible crash with bad currency, and then we would have to get back again. Brandy may seem to strengthen, but plain bread and meat are the surest. What we want is not more money, but more capital. Money always comes with capital. We have money now, more than we can use, lying idle. We have just exported a lot of it. Money is the transferrer of capital, as a hayrack and horse is a transferrer of hay. More hayracks will never make more hay, but more hay will require more hayracks, and is sure to get them.

"We have been through all this once before. The Greenbackers of 1878 were not bad men. They were sincere, and had a better case than the silver men of today. In fact, it was much the same case. We must have artificial inflation and cheaper money, they said, or blackest ruin awaits us. It was a hard time. Prices were low and work was scarce; taxes were heavy and debts hard to pay, but we persevered, and resumed specie payments. From that moment the capital of the world was at our disposal. We had a good tariff, which makes us do all our own work, and from 1879 to 1893, 14 years of prosperity, which placed the United States in a great position in the world. If we do the like thing today, like things will follow.

"With revenues equal to our emergencies, undue export of gold will cease. With the certainty that the dollar paid will be equal to the dollar lent will come credit and confidence. With that other certainty that we are to do all our own work will come the earning of wages, steadily increasing, which is the basis of that prosperity which is alone worthy of this great nation, the prosperity of the whole people."

The Morton Boom.

Nebraska City, Neb., July 30.—Hon J. Sterling Morton has been petitioned by a large number of Nebraska Democrats to deliver a lecture on finance before he leaves the state. He has not yet indicated a disposition to comply. It is hinted that this is a part of the plan by which the Morton boom for president on the ticket of the Morton wing of the Democratic party is to be furthered.

To Hold Another Convention.

Augusta, Me., July 30.—There was a meeting of the Dmocratic state committee last evening, for the purpose of considering if there should be a convention for the nomination of a candidate for governor in place of Mr. Winslow, who recently declined. A few were in favor of having the committee decide on a new candidate, so the only thing to do was to decide on a new convention. Portland and Bangor being the only places presented, it was thought best to take some place between, rather than have any discussion, and Waterville was chosen as the place, Aug. 6. The meeting was private, no newspaper men being allowed.

Each Should Be by Itself.

Boston, July 30.—Mayor Quincy has sent a communication to the Boston park commissioners, relative to the Castle Island accident and the inquest report of Judge Fallon, which blames both the city and the park commissioners. His honor urges the necessity of divorcing the engineering department from that of the parks, and advises that hereafter the park commissioners directly control their employes and hire their own engineers. He deplored the placing of the park police in the control of the police department, for the same reason.

A Thirteen-Years-Old Slasher.

Providence, July 30.—Willie Davis, a 13-year-old boy, for the six months past has spent most of his time torturing little children in the neighborhood of the North End, and his father has been repeatedly warned that a continuation of the acts would result in arrest. Yesterday, the boy saw Willie Chase, aged 7, walking down the street, and running up behind him, Davis drew a razor across the throat of the Chase boy. A police officer, who witnessed the act, chased young Davis for 20 minutes, and as last succeeded in arresting him. Chase will probably recover.

Wedding Day Approaches.

Newport, R. I., July 30.—There is an unusual activity at the villa of R. T. Wilson, on Narragansett road. The marriage of Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., to Miss Grace Wilson is expected to take place on Saturday next. Miss Wilson and Mr. Vanderbilt have been busy shopping. None of the family would either deny or affirm the rumor that the wedding was to take place on Saturday. Young Mr. Vanderbilt left his father's house Tuesday, and took rooms at the Hotel Savoy, where he will remain until after the wedding.

Hoarding Continues.

Washington, July 30.—While the export of gold seems to have been completely checked, for the time being, at least, there are signs that hoarding is still going on to some extent. Yesterday's statement of withdrawals, for instance, shows that of the $321,200 of gold taken from the treasury, $205,400 was in coin, and only $16,200 was in bars for use in the arts. During the day, $60,000 in gold coin was received at the treasury, making the balance stand at $106,300,704.

Worden Must Hang.

San Francisco, July 30.—In the case of S. D. Worden, the railroad striker, charged with wrecking the railway bridge near Sacramento two years ago, and thereby causing the death of four men, the supreme court yesterday handed down a decision in which it affirmed the judgment of the superior court, where Worden was convicted of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to hang.

Colored Pugilist's Last Fight.

Salt Lake City, July 30.—Thomas Carter of Tucson, A.T., who was knocked out in a 12-round contest with Bob Thompson in his city, Tuesday night, by a terrific blow on the chin, never recovered consciousness, and died yesterday. Thompson is under arrest. Both were colored men. There is talk of taking action against the athletic club.

Ex-Officials Sent to Prison.

Pittsburg, July 30.—Ex-City Attorney Moreland, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling city funds, was yesterday sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. W. H. House, ex-assistant city attorney, convicted of aiding and abetting Moreland, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years and three months.

Kruger Says Nothing.

Pretoria, July 30.—The public here generally are surprised at the leniency of the sentence in the cases of Dr. Jameson and his associates. President Kruger has been interviewed on the subject, but declined to express an opinion.

The Stetson Will Case.

Boston, July 30.—The attorney for John Stetson, Jr., announces that an appeal will be taken from the decision of Judge Grant, in allowing the will of the late John Stetson, to the Suffolk county supreme judicial court.

After Long Vacation.

Providence, July 30.—Work at the Allen print works will be resumed on Monday next, after a shutdown of 13 weeks. This means employment for about 300 persons.

Noted Character Dead.

Rome, July 30.—Signor Tanlongo, formerly governor of the Banca Romana, is dead. Signor Tanlongo was the central figure in the Banca Romana scandals, which was to Italy what the Panama canal scandal was to France, and which caused the overthrow of one ministry, tarnished the fame of many men in public life, and sowed widespread suspicion of corruption and dishonesty throughout Italian public life. Governor Tanlongo was accused of having fraudulently appropriated 23,000,000 francs from the bank, and of having, in order to conceal this misappropriation, altered the books and accounts current, and added fictitious accounts.

Plymouth's Celebration.

Plymouth, Mass., July 30.—The historical festival, representing old Plymouth days and ways, and instituted for the purpose of raising funds for a bell tower on the First Parish church, opened here last night, and will last a week. The First church was burned four years ago, and while the society has rebuilt, there were not funds enough to elect the bell tower. The bell is a revolutionary relic, having been cast by Paul Revere, and survived the fire. A large number of the summer residents became interested in the project, and the festival was arranged. Nearly 1500 people attended yesterday, and numerous scenes of Puritan life were enacted. Many of the actors were lineal descendants of the Pilgrims.

Crack Bicycle Racer Killed.

Lima, O., July 30.—Joseph Greidler of Minneapolis, a crack bicycle circuit racer, was killed here yesterday. Greidler was probably overcome by the heat, for he left the track, ran straight into the crowd, and was thrown upon a fence, receiving injuries which resulted in his death one hour later. Greidler was in the lead in a half-mile open race at the time the accident occurred.

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OLD SOLDIER GONE.

General Colston Had Seen Active Service on Two Continents.

Richmond, July 30.—General R. E. Colston, who was an officer in the Confederate army, and at one time commanded the Stonewall brigade, died at the Soldiers' home here yesterday. He was in his 71st year. General Colston served six years in the Egyptian army, and received the decoration of the Knight Commander of the Turkish Order of Osbmanish for distinguished services.

General Colston was born in France. His father was an American, who married a French lady. The family early came to this country, and young Colston finished his education at the Virginia Military institute. He was elected a professor in that institution, and served there for 10 years prior to the war. Stonewall Jackson was a member of the faculty at this time. At the breaking out of the war, General Colston entered the Confederate service, as colonel of the Sixteenth Virginia regiment, Holmes' brigade. He was promoted to command of the brigade, and at the battle of Chancellorsville was in command of Trimble's division. Subsequently he served under Beauregard at Charleston, Savannah, and later at Petersburg. He was in command at Lynchburg at the close of the war. After the war he served six years in the Egyptian army, and for distinguished service received the decoration of the Knight Commander of the Osmanish. Several years ago General Colston was appointed to a clerkship in the war department at Washington, which he held until paralyzed. General Colston had a splendid education, and did considerable writing on war topics. He was a man of culture and strong convictions, warm-hearted and beloved and honored by all who knew him.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Russian loan of $200,000,000 was subscribed 25 times over.

Li Hung Chang has been invited by Mayor Quincy to visit Boston.

Indiana reports an exceptionally destructive wind and rain storm.

The state of Michigan has no control over the University of Michigan.

Alphonse Nallett was drowned while bathing at Livermore Falls, Me.

Chicago banks expect to turn in $2,500,000 in gold at the sub-treasury.

Ex-President Robert Garrett of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad is dead.

The failure of New York to sell city bonds does not affect the city's credit.

W. B. Clarke & Co., a prominent bookselling firm of Boston, made an assignment.

Copies of the supplementary British Blue book have been received at Washington.

Peter Foley, aged 22, was drowned at Portland, Me., by falling through a hole in a wharf.

The principal importing firms of New York will assist New York bankers in preventing gold exports.

Gaudaur and Rogers won the professional three-mile double scull race at Halifax. Time, 19m. 48½s.

The alleged Brookline (Mass.) burglar, James White, was held in $5000 bail for the September grand jury.

D. M. Hook, a contractor of Medford, Mass., was killed while driving along Lexington street in Waltham.

Henry Blatzer and Louis Fryer were seriously injured by an explosion of chemicals in Houghton's brewery, Boston.

Bert Green, colored, convicted of the murder of Miles P. Mitchell, was hanged at Jackson, Tenn. Green protested his innocence to the last.

The project to reorganize the shoe firm of Lewis Gross & Co., which failed at Amesbury, Mass., with liabilities of $30,000, has been abandoned.

The Duke of Westminster, as chairman of the Cretan distress fund, has appointed Bickford Smith to distribute the English and American funds in Crete.

The governments of the United States and Honduras have entered into a parcel post convention, the documents having been just signed by President Cleveland.

Lewis Comer and John Farrell, cornice workers, were terribly injured at Cambridge, Mass., by the fall of a staging upon which they were working. Comer will die.

The barkentine Herbert Fuller has been ordered to Boston by the government of the United States as a material part of the government's case at the approaching trial.

Warning From Postmaster General.

Washington, July 30.—Postmaster General Wilson has issued an order to all railway clerks, directing them not to take an active interest in the political campaign, such as would be involved in their attending political conventions as delegates, making political speeches or assisting in the management of political campaigns. The postmaster general's circular expressly states that he does not desire to control their opinions on political matters.

Market Still Dull.

Fall River, Mass., July 30.—The Wampanoag mills have posted notices that they will continue the shutdown of their factories to Aug. 10, making a total of five weeks. The general sentiment among manufacturers here is in favor of continuing the curtailment longer than the four weeks originally stipulated, as the movement has not yet been followed by any marked improvement in the market.

American Students Favored.

Washington, July 30.—Official information has been received in Washington by the Franco-American committee, organizer for the purpose of securing fuller privileges for American students in the educational institutions of France, that in all probability the faculties of letters will soon be open to Americans as freely as the other faculties that have already been opened.

Bank Closes Shop.

Dennison, O., July 30.—The Dennison Deposit bank closed its doors yesterday, and assigned to E. M. Bailey. The liabilities will reach $100,000, while the assets will hardly cover $50,000. The feeling against the bank is very bitter, as it is generally known that it accepted deposits Tuesday night, after business hours.

Prison Life Made Easy.

London, July 30.—Dr. Jameson and his fellow prisoners have been made first class misdemeanants, which allows them to have their meals from outside Holloway jail, to dress in their own clothes, to have their menial work done by the other prisoners, and to have a small allowance of beer or wine.

Why Not?

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing? Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

THE PREACHERS CAN RIDE

THOMPSON STREET BICYCLE CLUB SO DECIDES.

Brother White Averred That It Made the Parson Gay—Brother Hopkins' Remarks. Brother Tobias Is Neutral—A Straight Tip From the Rev. Mr. Penstock.

"Gem'len of de club," began President Toots as the Thompson Street Colored Bicycle club was called to order, "at a late meetin we had de queshun befo' us, 'Should a minister of de gospil ride a bike?' De sentiment of de members was about evenly divided, an no decishun was arrove at, but de same queshun am heah befo' us agin, an I shall hope to see it settled dis time fur good. De opinyun of yo'r president am so well known dat it would be idle for me to say anythin on do subjick. We will h'ar from Brudder Slipback White on de matter."

Brother White said he was sorry that the question had come up at this time, as he had accidentally swallowed a horse chestnut, two vest buttons and a quill toothpick and was not up to the mark as an orator, but as it had come up he must say that he was against it. Near him lived a preacher who had learned to ride the bike, and the difference in the demeanor of that man before and after was something amazing. The previous air of humility was gone, and its place had been taken by a sort of cock-a-doodle-doo bearing which gave rise to much talk. He couldn't say that the preacher had lost any of the goodness of his soul nor that his sermons were the less interesting, but contact with the frisky bike had certainly worked a change that he regretted to see.

One day the preacher had winked at him as they passed. On another occasion the good man had asked if he saw any flies on him. On the third occasion the preacher's bike had struck a banana cart and the preacher and the dago had seemed to use words of about the same length and meaning. He had no wish to abridge any man's rights, but it was his firm and unalterable opinion that preachers should keep both feet on the ground and not strik a gait of over five miles an hour.

Brother Elder Hopkins, who is 60 years old and just married to his third wife, responded to the call of the president by saying that he could not agree with Brother White. He was not a regularly ordained minister of the gospel, but had something of a reputation as an exhorter. He had now been riding the bike for three months, and if there was anything wicked about it he ought to have felt it. Had he been hurt by the contact? No. On the contrary, the bike had proved a blessing to him and to his hearers. Formerly he had the hardest kind of work to keep his congregation awake, not to say interested, and he had grave reasons to fear that he did not earn the 80 or 40 cents returned on the collection plates. How was it now? He walked into the pulpit after a five mile spin on his bike, and in less than ten minutes half his audience were shouting "Amen!" He could rip satan up the back in a way he had never hoped to attain, and after an exhortation of two hours his congregation still cried for him to go on. He had also winked at men (not women) of his acquaintance—he had also made it impossible for flies to alight on his back. He had even choked a dago half to death, but in spite of all that he felt that he was gaining in goodness and leaving satan farther behind each day that he lived. Let ministers ride the bike if you want redhot sermons.

Brother Washington Tobias, who still ties himself on his bike when he goes out, that there may be no sudden separation and resultant heart burnings, said that he had given the subject 18 minutes of the most serious thought, but could not arrive at any conclusion. He did not want his preacher to be gay and colty and go round stepping high and talking about horse races and dog fights. Neither did he want him to go around like a pancake on legs and willing to let every dog bite him and every loafer kick his coattails full of wrinkles. The rapid exhilarating motion of the bike doubtless acted to stir up men's souls, and in some cases perhaps, it made men worse, but he felt that the ministry could be trusted. If they found satan on the saddle behind them, they would discard the bike and go about on stilts. Let them ride or not ride, he would not take it upon himself to decide.

When the Rev. Penstock was called upon, he rose with alacrity and was evidently primed for the occasion. He is a regularly ordained minister and an advocate of the bike, and there was much interest to hear what he would say. He opened on Brother White from the word go. The man who affirmed that riding a bike made a preacher sporty was a bigot and did not know what he was talking about. He was a preacher with a flock. He had been riding a bike for five months and had reached that point where he could dodge any ice wagon in town in turning a corner, but had any member of his congregation noticed any change in him for the worse? Did he act colty? Was there a sporty look to his eyebrows and whiskers? There had been a change in him, but it was for the better. He had got out and buzzed around, and the getting out had braced his spinal column, given him a fresh hold of oratory, and his church was gaining new members at the rate of ten per week. He slept better, ate better, and though it still took a pint of arnica to rub him down after a spin he believed he was nearer the good mark than ever before. If riding on something rapid had a wicked influence on man, why were most railroad engineers pillars of the church? Why had so many horse jockeys come to him and expressed a wish to live better lives? The idea was all nonsense. It was the wheel which was rapid, not the rider. Exhilaration was no wickedness. One with a feeling of exhilaration strong upon him might wink at a woman riding a bike in the opposite direction, but it would be a harmless wink—a wink so merely announce that he saw her and was glad that she was taking needed exercise. Even should he chin with a female, it would not be a wicked chin, but simply inquiries after the state of her pneumatic tire. Away with nonsense and bigotry! Away with prejudice and prevarication! He should continue on as now, and if any of his congregation discovered that he was losing his goodness he would resign at their demand.

Several other members spoke upon the question pro and con, and it was then put to vote. By a majority of 17 votes it was decided that preachers can ride the bike and look a little sporty and act a little colty, and that any one opposed to it can go to grass. Brother White, who holds such strong views in the negative, arose and offered his resignation, but the same was not accepted, and he was told to sit down and keep quiet until the meeting adjourned.

M. QUAD.

HE HAD BEEN RIDING THE BIKE FIVE MONTHS.

Self Sacrificing Love.

"Young man," cried the enraged millionaire, "how dare you ask for the hand of my only daughter? You, a pauper! I would wipe the floor up with you before I'd accept you as a son-in-law."

"I'm perfectly willing, sir," answered the young man modestly. "It would be humiliating, I admit, but I would bear anything for the sake of winning your daughter for a wife."

"Explain yourself, you impudent rascal!" the millionaire commanded.

"Certainly," replied the youth as he removed his coat and vest and began to tackle his collar and tie. "You said you would wipe the floor up with me before you'd accept me as a son-in-law, and I am even willing to let you mop up the whole house with me if I can gain your consent."

This display of self sacrificing devotion was entirely too much for the millionaire, and after swallowing a lump in his throat he fell on the young man's neck and invited him into the bosom of the family.—New York Sunday World.

More For Less Money.

A French journal tells a story of a lady who with a maid went to purchase a still life picture for her dining room.

She selected a canvas on which were painted a bunch of flowers, a pie cut in two and a halfpenny roll and was paying 500 francs for it when the maid approached to whisper in her ear.

"Madam," said the servant, "you are making a bad bargain. I saw a picture very much like this sold the other day for 400 francs."

"And was it as good as this?"

"Yes, madam; it was better. There was a good deal more pie in it."—Chicago Post.

An Infallible Rooster.

A negro was killed in Hall county recently, and one of the "old time" darkies was summoned as a witness before the coroner's jury.

"What do you know about the killing?" asked the coroner.

"Well, suh, I des knowed hit wuz gwine ter happen, dat's all!"

"How did you know it?"

"How I knowed hit?"

"Yes!"

"Kase my olo rooster come close ter de do' an crowed three times de day befo' de shootin, an hit wuz des 'bleege ter happen!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Odds Too Great.

"I tell you, sir," said the politician of the silver school, "I'm a strong upholder of the 16 to 1"—

"Oh, well, those long odds pull out occasionally," interrupted the sport, "but there's no money in sticking to 'em. As a general thing I'd think better of a 2 to 1 shot."—Chicago Post.

One Way to Quit.

"Jibbs and the rest of the boys didn't want to swear off poker entirely, but they'd been playing a good deal lately, and to get a rest they went into camp last week, 20 miles back in the woods from Bogville, so they wouldn't see a card for a month."

"Yes. I saw Jibbs in Bogville yesterday."

"What? Has he quit the camp?"

"No. Came in after a poker deck."—New York Sun.

No Danger.

"I think we ought to do something to conciliate the bicycle vote," said the statesman. "It is likely to be a power."

"Not much, it ain't," said his manager. "Every fellow that has a wheel hates every other fellow that has some other kind of wheel so much that they won't organize in 1,000 years."—Truth.

Lifelong Devotion Assured.

Mrs. Social—And so Miss Flirtie is engaged to your son. Do you think she will be true to him?

Wise Dame—Oh, she'll be true to him as long as other women admire him, and I guess he'll be handsome all his life.—New York Weekly.

Identified.

Editor's Boy—Papa, who is this "Vox Populi," anyway, that writes so many pieces for the paper?

Editor—Well, Edwin, he thinks his other name is "Vox Dei," but in most cases it is "Mud."—Somerville Journal.

The Cattle Show.

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An gin'ral jamboree.

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And keep the good old cattle show
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—Detroit News.

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LOCAL NOTES.

Michael J. Lynch has returned from a trip to the Adirondacks.

The pay roll of the school department this month amounts to but $250.

The track at the Fair grounds will be in fine condition for the S. O. W. races, Saturday if the rain keeps off.

A number of the Catholic clergymen of the city and several seminarians are enjoying an outing at Long pond today.

The last call! The final crash has come on summer goods at Chris Holmes' specialty store. All must be turned into money. $1.00 today buys three dollar's worth. See his adv.

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REED'S FIRST GUN

Was Fired at Alfred, Me. Last Night.

HE WANTS TO DODGE THE CURRENCY ISSUE.

He Tries to Discredit the Free Silver Movement.

Alfred, Me., July 30.—A York county Republican mass meeting was addressed yesterday afternoon by Curtis S. Guild of Boston, and Speaker Reed.

Mr. Reed's opening words were these: "If I were going to give good advice to the people of the whole United States I should take this time to do it. Just now there is a great deal of froth and foam in the air, and some time is really needful to disclose clearly to every eye how much of it is the result of the temporary breeze which stills at nightfall, and how little there is of that heavy ground swell which shows that great elementary forces are at work. How very suddenly all this rush and stir has set itself into action."

After reviewing the situation, Mr. Reed said:

"If the demonetization of silver is a disease at all, it is a world disease. I defy anybody to find a single argument which proves that the demonetization of silver would be good for the United States, that does not prove that it would be good for the whole world. If it is a world disease, how can it be reached except by a world remedy? International bimetallism I can understand, but this driving out of gold and substitution of silver is only silver monometallism for the United States. It is not bimetallism for the world and a stable currency; but the shifting from gold currency and civilized Europe and going over to silver and Mexico, Japan, India and China. Oh, but China and Japan, India and Mexico are prosperous just now! Yes, but what kind of prosperity? The prosperity of cheap labor, growing cheaper every day. Manufacturers there may be prosperous and traders may be prosperous, but the people are not prosperous at all. Up here in Maine and New Hampshire paper pulp is made cheap. How? Because the manufacturer is close to cheap labor. In silver countries labor is cheap and kept cheap by the silver dollar. For my part I do not want that kind of prosperity. I want a prosperity which, by good wages to all, is shared by all. We want a broader life, broadened every day for all our people.

"I won't discuss the question whether the free coinage of silver will raise it to par or not. Very few people claim that it will, and if they did, I could not believe them. I was told in 1890, by two of the most sincere, as well as the ablest silver men, that the purchase of 4,500,000 ounces a month would raise silver to par, and when they did buy it silver went down like lead. Silver men have not been good prophets in the past. If, then, we are going to have a dollar inferior to what we have today, what will be the effect of it? Higher prices, they say. Not for everything. If you have $100 in the savings bank today you can get 100 gold dollars from the bank. If this wild project succeeds, and you are paid in silver, you will get the $100, but they will be 50 or 60 or 70 cent dollars. If you have a pension, that must be scaled down. If you have a bond, that goes down, too. Will the wage-earner be any better off? What you buy will go up. Will your wages go up, too? There you have experience to guide you. Wages during greenback times, measured in gold, did not go up as other things did. They went part way, but not all the way up, and were very slow about that. But wouldn't business be better for more money? It might be after a terrible crash with bad currency, and then we would have to get back again. Brandy may seem to strengthen, but plain bread and meat are the surest. What we want is not more money, but more capital. Money always comes with capital. We have money now, more than we can use, lying idle. We have just exported a lot of it. Money is the transferrer of capital, as a hayrack and horse is a transferrer of hay. More hayracks will never make more hay, but more hay will require more hayracks, and is sure to get them.

"We have been through all this once before. The Greenbackers of 1878 were not bad men. They were sincere, and had a better case than the silver men of today. In fact, it was much the same case. We must have artificial inflation and cheaper money, they said, or blackest ruin awaits us. It was a hard time. Prices were low and work was scarce; taxes were heavy and debts hard to pay, but we persevered, and resumed specie payments. From that moment the capital of the world was at our disposal. We had a good tariff, which makes us do all our own work, and from 1879 to 1893, 14 years of prosperity, which placed the United States in a great position in the world. If we do the like thing today, like things will follow.

"With revenues equal to our emergencies, undue export of gold will cease. With the certainty that the dollar paid will be equal to the dollar lent will come credit and confidence. With that other certainty that we are to do all our own work will come the earning of wages, steadily increasing, which is the basis of that prosperity which is alone worthy of this great nation, the prosperity of the whole people."

The Morton Boom.

Nebraska City, Neb., July 30.—Hon J. Sterling Morton has been petitioned by a large number of Nebraska Democrats to deliver a lecture on finance before he leaves the state. He has not yet indicated a disposition to comply. It is hinted that this is a part of the plan by which the Morton boom for president on the ticket of the Morton wing of the Democratic party is to be furthered.

To Hold Another Convention.

Augusta, Me., July 30.—There was a meeting of the Democratic state committee last evening, for the purpose of considering if there should be a convention for the nomination of a candidate for governor in place of Mr. Winslow, who recently declined. A few were in favor of having the committee decide on a new candidate, so the only thing to do was to decide on a new convention. Portland and Bangor being the only places presented, it was thought best to take some place between, rather than have any discussion, and Waterville was chosen as the place, Aug. 6. The meeting was private, no newspaper men being allowed.

Each Should Be by Itself.

Boston, July 30.—Mayor Quincy has sent a communication to the Boston park commissioners, relative to the Castle Island accident and the inquest report of Judge Fallon, which blames both the city and the park commissioners. His honor urges the necessity of divorcing the engineering department from that of the parks, and advises that hereafter the park commissioners directly control their employes and hire their own engineers. He deplored the placing of the park police in the control of the police department, for the same reason.

A Thirteen-Years-Old Slasher.

Providence, July 30.—Willie Davis, a 13-year-old boy, for the six months past has spent most of his time torturing little children in the neighborhood of the North End, and his father has been repeatedly warned that a continuation of the acts would result in arrest. Yesterday, the boy saw Willie Chase, aged 7, walking down the street, and running up behind him, Davis drew a razor across the throat of the Chase boy. A police officer, who witnessed the act, chased young Davis for 20 minutes, and at last succeeded in arresting him. Chase will probably recover.

Wedding Day Approaches.

Newport, R. I., July 30.—There is an unusual activity at the villa of R. T. Wilson, on Narragansett road. The marriage of Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., to Miss Grace Wilson is expected to take place on Saturday next. Miss Wilson and Mr. Vanderbilt have been busy shopping. None of the family would either deny or affirm the rumor that the wedding was to take place on Saturday. Young Mr. Vanderbilt left his father's house Tuesday, and took rooms at the Hotel Savoy, where he will remain until after the wedding.

Hoarding Continues.

Washington, July 30.—While the export of gold seems to have been completely checked, for the time being, at least, there are signs that hoarding is still going on to some extent. Yesterday's statement of withdrawals, for instance, shows that of the $321,200 of gold taken from the treasury, $205,400 was in coin, and only $16,200 was in bars for use in the arts. During the day, $60,000 in gold coin was received at the treasury, making the balance stand at $106,300,704.

Worden Must Hang.

San Francisco, July 30.—In the case of S. D. Worden, the railroad striker, charged with wrecking the railway bridge near Sacramento two years ago, and thereby causing the death of four men, the supreme court yesterday handed down a decision in which it affirmed the judgment of the superior court, where Worden was convicted of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to hang.

Colored Pugilist's Last Fight.

Salt Lake City, July 30.—Thomas Carter of Tucson, A.T., who was knocked out in a 12-round contest with Bob Thompson in his city, Tuesday night, by a terrific blow on the chin, never recovered consciousness, and died yesterday. Thompson is under arrest. Both were colored men. There is talk of taking action against the athletic club.

Ex-Officials Sent to Prison.

Pittsburg, July 30.—Ex-City Attorney Moreland, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling city funds, was yesterday sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. W. H. House, ex-assistant city attorney, convicted of aiding and abetting Moreland, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years and three months.

Kruger Says Nothing.

Pretoria, July 30.—The public here generally are surprised at the leniency of the sentence in the cases of Dr. Jameson and his associates. President Kruger has been interviewed on the subject, but declined to express an opinion.

The Stetson Will Case.

Boston, July 30.—The attorney for John Stetson, Jr., announces that an appeal will be taken from the decision of Judge Grant, in allowing the will of the late John Stetson, to the Suffolk county supreme judicial court.

After Long Vacation.

Providence, July 30.—Work at the Allen print works will be resumed on Monday next, after a shutdown of 13 weeks. This means employment for about 300 persons.

Noted Character Dead.

Rome, July 30.—Signor Tanlongo, formerly governor of the Banca Romana, is dead. Signor Tanlongo was the central figure in the Banca Romana scandals, which was to Italy what the Panama canal scandal was to France, and which caused the overthrow of one ministry, tarnished the fame of many men in public life, and sowed widespread suspicion of corruption and dishonesty throughout Italian public life. Governor Tanlongo was accused of having fraudulently appropriated 23,000,000 francs from the bank, and of having, in order to conceal this misappropriation, altered the books and accounts current, and added fictitious accounts.

Plymouth's Celebration.

Plymouth, Mass., July 30.—The historical festival, representing old Plymouth days and ways, and instituted for the purpose of raising funds for a bell tower on the First Parish church, opened here last night, and will last a week. The First church was burned four years ago, and while the society has rebuilt, there were not funds enough to elect the bell tower. The bell is a revolutionary relic, having been cast by Paul Revere, and survived the fire. A large number of the summer residents became interested in the project, and the festival was arranged. Nearly 1500 people attended yesterday, and numerous scenes of Puritan life were enacted. Many of the actors were lineal descendants of the Pilgrims.

Crack Bicycle Racer Killed.

Lima, O., July 30.—Joseph Greidler of Minneapolis, a crack bicycle circuit racer, was killed here yesterday. Greidler was probably overcome by the heat, for he left the track, ran straight into the crowd, and was thrown upon a fence, receiving injuries which resulted in his death one hour later. Greidler was in the lead in a half-mile open race at the time the accident occurred.

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OLD SOLDIER GONE.

General Colston Had Seen Active Service on Two Continents.

Richmond, July 30.—General R. E. Colston, who was an officer in the Confederate army, and at one time commanded the Stonewall brigade, died at the Soldiers' home here yesterday. He was in his 71st year. General Colston served six years in the Egyptian army, and received the decoration of the Knight Commander of the Turkish Order of Oshmanish for distinguished services.

General Colston was born in France. His father was an American, who married a French lady. The family early came to this country, and young Colston finished his education at the Virginia Military Institute. He was elected a professor in that institution, and served there for 10 years prior to the war. Stonewall Jackson was a member of the faculty at this time. At the breaking out of the war, General Colston entered the Confederate service, as colonel of the Sixteenth Virginia regiment, Holmes' brigade. He was promoted to command of the brigade, and at the battle of Chancellorsville was in command of Trimble's division. Subsequently he served under Beauregard at Charleston, Savannah, and later at Petersburg. He was in command at Lynchburg at the close of the war. After the war he served six years in the Egyptian army, and for distinguished service received the decoration of the Knight Commander of the Osmanish. Several years ago General Colston was appointed to a clerkship in the war department at Washington, which he held until paralyzed. General Colston had a splendid education, and did considerable writing on war topics. He was a man of culture and strong convictions, warmhearted and beloved and honored by all who knew him.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A Russian loan of $200,000,000 was subscribed 25 times over.

Li Hung Chang has been invited by Mayor Quincy to visit Boston.

Indiana reports an exceptionally destructive wind and rain storm.

The state of Michigan has no control over the University of Michigan.

Alphonse Nallett was drowned while bathing at Livermore Falls, Me.

Chicago banks expect to turn in $2,500,000 in gold at the sub-treasury.

Ex-President Robert Garrett of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad is dead.

The failure of New York to sell city bonds does not affect the city's credit.

W. B. Clarke & Co., a prominent bookselling firm of Boston, made an assignment.

Copies of the supplementary British Blue book have been received at Washington.

Peter Foley, aged 22, was drowned at Portland, Me., by falling through a hole in a wharf.

The principal importing firms of New York will assist New York bankers in preventing gold exports.

Gaudaur and Rogers won the professional three-mile double scull race at Halifax. Time, 19m. 43½s.

The alleged Brookline (Mass.) burglar, James White, was held in $5000 bail for the September grand jury.

D. M. Hook, a contractor of Medford, Mass., was killed while driving along Lexington street in Waltham.

Henry Blatzer and Louis Fryer were seriously injured by an explosion of chemicals in Houghton's brewery, Boston.

Bert Green, colored, convicted of the murder of Miles P. Mitchell, was hanged at Jackson, Tenn. Green protested his innocence to the last.

The project to reorganize the shoe firm of Lewis Gross & Co., which failed at Amesbury, Mass., with liabilities of $30,000, has been abandoned.

The Duke of Westminster, as chairman of the Cretan distress fund, has appointed Bickford Smith to distribute the English and American funds in Crete.

The governments of the United States and Honduras have entered into a parcel post convention, the documents having been just signed by President Cleveland.

Lewis Comer and John Farrell, cornice workers, were terribly injured at Cambridge, Mass., by the fall of a staging upon which they were working. Comer will die.

The barkentine Herbert Fuller has been ordered to Boston by the government of the United States as a material part of the government's case at the approaching trial.

Warning From Postmaster General.

Washington, July 30.—Postmaster General Wilson has issued an order to all railway clerks, directing them not to take an active interest in the political campaign, such as would be involved in their attending political conventions as delegates, making political speeches or assisting in the management of political campaigns. The postmaster general's circular expressly states that he does not desire to control their opinions on political matters.

Market Still Dull.

Fall River, Mass., July 30.—The Wampanoag mills have posted notices that they will continue the shutdown of their factories to Aug. 10, making a total of five weeks. The general sentiment among manufacturers here is in favor of continuing the curtailment longer than the four weeks originally stipulated, as the movement has not yet been followed by any marked improvement in the market.

American Students Favored.

Washington, July 30.—Official information has been received in Washington by the Franco-American committee, organizer for the purpose of securing fuller privileges for American students in the educational institutions of France, that in all probability the faculties of letters will soon be open to Americans as freely as the other faculties that have already been opened.

Bank Closes Shop.

Dennison, O., July 30.—The Dennison Deposit bank closed its doors yesterday, and assigned to E. M. Bailey. The liabilities will reach $100,000, while the assets will hardly cover $50,000. The feeling against the bank is very bitter, as it is generally known that it accepted deposits Tuesday night, after business hours.

Prison Life Made Easy.

London, July 30.—Dr. Jameson and his fellow prisoners have been made first class misdemeanants, which allows them to have their meals from outside Holloway jail, to dress in their own clothes, to have their menial work done by the other prisoners, and to have a small allowance of beer or wine.

Why Not?

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing? Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

THE PREACHERS CAN RIDE

THOMPSON STREET BICYCLE CLUB SO DECIDES.

Brother White Averred That It Made the Parson Gay—Brother Hopkins' Remarks. Brother Tobias Is Neutral—A Straight Tip From the Rev. Mr. Penstock.

"Gem'len of de club," began President Toots as the Thompson Street Colored Bicycle club was called to order, "at a late meetin we had de queshun befo' us, 'Should a minister of de gospil ride a bike?' De sentiment of de members was about evenly divided, an no decishun was arrove at, but de same queshun am heah befo' us agin, an I shall hope to see it settled dis time fur good. De opinyun of yo'r president am so well known dat it would be idle fur mo to say anythin on de subjick. We will h'ar from Brudder Slipback White on de matter."

Brother White said he was sorry that the question had come up at this time, as he had accidentally swallowed a horse chestnut, two vest buttons and a quill toothpick and was not up to the mark as an orator, but as it had come up he must say that he was against it. Near him lived a preacher who had learned to ride the bike, and the difference in the demeanor of that man before and after was something amazing. The previous air of humility was gone, and its place had been taken by a sort of cock-a-doodle-doo bearing which gave rise to much talk. He couldn't say that the preacher had lost any of the goodness of his soul nor that his sermons were the less interesting, but contact with the frisky bike had certainly worked a change that he regretted to see.

One day the preacher had winked at him as they passed. On another occasion the good man had asked if he saw any flies on him. On the third occasion the preacher's bike had struck a banana cart and the preacher and the dago had seemed to use words of about the same length and meaning. He had no wish to abridge any man's rights, but it was his firm and unalterable opinion that preachers should keep both feet on the ground and not strike a gait of over five miles an hour.

Brother Elder Hopkins, who is 60 years old and just married to his third wife, responded to the call of the president by saying that he could not agree with Brother White. He was not a regularly ordained minister of the gospel, but had something of a reputation as an exhorter. He had now been riding the bike for three months, and if there was anything wicked about it

HE HAD BEEN RIDING THE BIKE FIVE MONTHS.

he ought to have felt it. Had he been hurt by the contact? No. On the contrary, the bike had proved a blessing to him and to his hearers. Formerly he had the hardest kind of work to keep his congregation awake, not to say interested, and he had grave reasons to fear that he did not earn the 30 or 40 cents returned on the collection plates. How was it now? He walked into the pulpit after a five mile spin on his bike, and in less than ten minutes half his audience were shouting "Amen!" He could rip satan up the back in a way he had never hoped to attain, and after an exhortation of two hours his congregation still cried for him to go on. He had also winked at man (not women) of his acquaintance—he had also made it impossible for flies to alight on his back. He had even choked a dago half to death, but in spite of all that he felt that he was gaining in goodness and leaving satan farther behind each day that he lived. Let ministers ride the bike if you want redhot sermons.

Brother Washington Tobias, who still ties himself on his bike when he goes out, that there may be no sudden separation and resultant heart burnings, said that he had given the subject 13 minutes of the most serious thought, but could not arrive at any conclusion. He did not want his preacher to be gay and colty and go around stepping high and talking about horse races and dog fights. Neither did he want him to go around like a pancake on legs and willing to let every dog bite him and every loafer kick his coattails full of wrinkles. The rapid exhilarating motion of the bike doubtless acted to stir up men's souls, and in some cases perhaps it made men worse, but he felt that the ministry could be trusted. If they found satan on the saddle behind them, they would discard the bike and go about on stilts. Let them ride or not ride, he would not take it upon himself to decide.

When the Rev. Penstock was called upon, he rose with alacrity and was evidently primed for the occasion. He is a regularly ordained minister and an advocate of the bike, and there was much interest to hear what he would say. He opened on Brother White from the word go. The man who affirmed that riding a bike made a preacher sporty was a bigot and did not know what he was talking about. He was a preacher with a flock. He had been riding a bike for five months and had reached that point where he could dodge any ice wagon in town in turning a corner, but had any member of his congregation noticed any change in him for the worse? Did he act colty? Was there a sporty look to his eyebrows and whiskers? There had been a change in him, but it was for the better. He had got out and buzzed around, and the getting out had braced his spinal column, given him a fresh hold of oratory, and his church was gaining new members at the rate of ten per week. He slept better, ate better, and though it still took a pint of arnica to rub him down after a spin he believed he was nearer the good mark than ever before. If riding on something rapid had a wicked influence on man, why were most railroad engineers pillars of the church? Why had so many horse jockeys come to him and expressed a wish to live better lives? The idea was all nonsense. It was the wheel which was rapid, not the rider. Exhilaration was no wickedness. One with a feeling of exhilaration strong upon him might wink at a woman riding a bike in the opposite direction, but it would be a harmless wink—a wink to merely announce that he saw her and was glad that she was taking needed exercise. Even should he chin with a female, it would not be a wicked chin, but simply inquiries after the state of her pneumatic tire. Away with nonsense and bigotry! Away with prejudice and prevarication! He should continue on as now, and if any of his congregation discovered that he was losing his goodness he would resign at their demand.

Several other members spoke upon the question pro and con, and it was then put to vote. By a majority of 17 votes it was decided that preachers can ride the bike and look a little sporty and act a little colty, and that any one opposed to it can go to grass. Brother White, who holds such strong views in the negative, arose and offered his resignation, but the same was not accepted, and he was told to sit down and keep quiet until the meeting adjourned.

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Self Sacrificing Love.

"Young man," cried the enraged millionaire, "how dare you ask for the hand of my only daughter? You, a pauper! I would wipe the floor up with you before I'd accept you as a son-in-law."

"I'm perfectly willing, sir," answered the young man modestly. "It would be humiliating, I admit, but I would bear anything for the sake of winning your daughter for a wife."

"Explain yourself, you impudent rascal!" the millionaire commanded.

"Certainly," replied the youth as he removed his coat and vest and began to tackle his collar and tie. "You said you would wipe the floor up with me before you'd accept me as a son-in-law, and I am even willing to let you mop up the whole house with me if I can gain your consent."

This display of self sacrificing devotion was entirely too much for the millionaire, and after swallowing a lump in his throat he fell on the young man's neck and invited him into the bosom of the family.—New York Sunday World.

More For Less Money.

A French journal tells a story of a lady who with a maid went to purchase a still life picture for her dining room.

She selected a canvas on which were painted a bunch of flowers, a pie cut in two and a halfpenny roll and was paying 500 francs for it when the maid approached to whisper in her ear.

"Madam," said the servant, "you are making a bad bargain. I saw a picture very much like this sold the other day for 400 francs."

"And was it as good as this?"

"Yes, madam; it was better. There was a good deal more pie in it."—Chicago Post.

An Infallible Rooster.

A negro was killed in Hall county recently, and one of the "old time" darkies was summoned as a witness before the coroner's jury.

"What do you know about the killing?" asked the coroner.

"Well, suh, I des knowed hit wuz gwine ter happen, dat's all!"

"How did you know it?"

"How I knowed hit?"

"Yes?"

"Kase my ole rooster come close ter de do' en crowed three times de day befo' de shootin, en hit wuz des 'bleege ter happen!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Odds Too Great.

"I tell you, sir," said the politician of the silver school, "I'm a strong upholder of the 16 to 1"—

"Oh, well, those long odds pull out occasionally," interrupted the sport, "but there's no money in sticking to 'em. As a general thing I'd think better of a 2 to 1 shot."—Chicago Post.

One Way to Quit.

"Jibbs and the rest of the boys didn't want to swear off poker entirely, but they'd been playing a good deal lately, and to get a rest they went into camp last week, 20 miles back in the woods from Bogville, so they wouldn't see a card for a month."

"Yes. I saw Jibbs in Bogville yesterday."

"What? Has he quit the camp?"

"No. Came in after a poker deck."—New York Sun.

No Danger.

"I think we ought to do something to conciliate the bicycle vote," said the statesman. "It is likely to be a power."

"Not much, it ain't," said his manager. "Every fellow that has a wheel hates every other fellow that has some other kind of wheel so much that they won't organize in 1,000 years."—Truth.

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Mrs. Social—And so Miss Flirtie is engaged to your son. Do you think she will be true to him?

Wise Dame—Oh, she'll be true to him as long as other women admire him, and I guess he'll be handsome all his life.—New York Weekly.

Identified.

Editor's Boy—Papa, who is this "Vox Populi," anyway, that writes so many pieces for the paper?

Editor—Well, Edwin, he thinks his other name is "Vox Dei," but in most cases it is "Mud."—Somerville Journal.

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—Detroit News.

LOCAL NOTES.

Michael J. Lynch has returned from a trip to the Adirondacks.

The pay roll of the school department this month amounts to but $250.

The track at the Fair grounds will be in fine condition for the S. C. W. races, Saturday if the rain keeps off.

A number of the Catholic clergymen of the city and several seminarians are enjoying an outing at Long pond today.

The last call! The final crash has come on summer goods at Chris Holmes' specialty store. All must be turned into money. $1.00 today buys three dollar's worth. See his adv.

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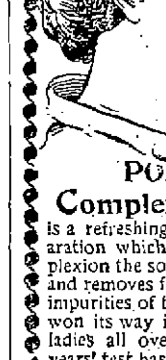

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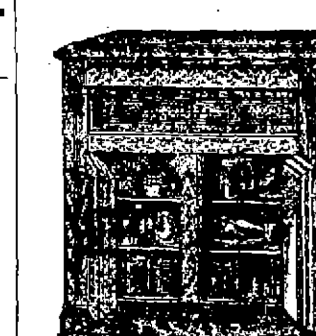

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LOCAL NEWS.

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance. Donovan bl'd.

Sheldon street is being graded by street employes.

The Boys in Blue propose to form a drum corps of 14 pieces.

Next week Saturday is quarter day at the Washington Savings bank.

The old ladies of the Fletcher street home had an outing at Lakeview yesterday.

The Middlesex North Medical society held its quarterly meeting at Glen Forest yesterday.

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The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Central Congregational church, in Chelmsford held a well attended social entertainment last evening.

Supreme Secretary E. M. McMurtry of the F. of A., has gone to New York for a week to attend a meeting of the ritualistic committee.

The Almont foot ball club has elected these officers: Captain, Bennie Stavely; manager, Charles Lowrey; treasurer and coach, Rev. Samuel Darlington.

J. E. Conant & Co. sold yesterday two lots at the corner of Wiggin and Willie streets, to A. T. Hodge. The price paid was 24 3-4c. a foot for one lot and 18 3-4c. for the other.

John A. O'Hearn, chief marshal of the Foresters' gala day parade, has appointed John McPadden, treasurer of Court Merrimack, chief of staff, and Napoleon H. Roy of Court Samuel De Champlain, as chief aid.

Trustee's sale of the late Norah Conant. Residence, including large house, stable and 7600 square feet of land; also two elegant building lots. Wannalancit and West Bowers street. To-morrow, promptly at five o'clock in the afternoon, and to the highest bidders I shall sell the desirable and excellently located estate divided into three lots, and nearly opposite the stone castle of the late John Bowers, the elegant residence of Dr. Robert E. Bell and the new Bartlett schoolhouse.

Lot 1. Large two and one half story house of two tenements with five rooms, a pantry and a shed on each floor; also two finished attics and room for two more; cellar with steam plant to heat the whole house and it's numbered 22 Bowers street. Stable for two horses and two carriages. The lot has a frontage of 50 feet; contains about 7000 square feet, and has an abundance of fruit trees. Here's a splendid place, primely situated in a fine neighborhood in one of the choice residential sections of Lowell.

Lot 2. About 7000 square feet of land adjoining Lot 1, and having a frontage of 55 feet on West Bowers street.

Lot 3. About 7600 square feet of land adjoining Lot 2. It has a frontage of 64 feet on West Bowers street and 116 feet on Wannalancit street. Lots 2 and 3 are remarkable building spots, are practically the highest land in their portion of the city, the view from them is a rare one. The Wilton mountains, the Merrimack River, the handsomest part of old Ward Four and much intervening countries lie out before you. Much more could be said of this truly first class property, and then many of its advantages not mentioned. It's one of those large pieces of realty that become divided into parcels and offered at public sale only by force of circumstances. You cannot realize its qualities or know its attractiveness for a home or a residence until you go upon the premises and see for yourself. The corner lot is just right and you would not alter or change it if you could. Sale rain or shine. Per order.

ESTHER T. CONANT, Trustee.

House open after 10 a. m. on day of sale. Plan of the premises at the office of the auctioneers. J. E. CONANT & CO.

Kirk Street Church.

The Kirk street Congregational society held a meeting last evening and voted to refer to the committee on credentials the question of whether or not the auditorium of the church should be redecorated. It will cost $10,500 to do the work and already $2,500, besides the church indebtedness, amounting to $2,800 has been pledged.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Councilman Nay was guilty of a violation of the rules of the lower board when he refused to vote on the motion to adopt the report censuring the committee concerned in the horse deal. His attention was called to the rule by Councilman Miskella but he heeded it not. Mr. Nay, a republican councilman has set an example which if followed out by others may lead to complications in that body. According to republican and democratic members the presiding officers should have insisted on Mr. Nay voting or else place him in the position of being afraid "to go on record" which is really the opinion many people now hold of him.

In glancing over the list of councilmen who voted to censure the "horse dealers" it will be noticed that Councilman Eveleth is one of them. At the hearing before the investigating committee Mr. Eveleth stated he saw nothing wrong with the transaction. Mr. Eveleth also approved the bill for the horses. "Where are you at?" Charlie.

One of the charges Councilman Nay has to make about repairs on the boilers at city hall, relates to brick work. He says that in looking over the bill he finds a charge for 4000 brick, when, as he claims only 1300 bricks would be required in setting up the boiler. He wants to know where the other 2700 brick were laid.

Members of the school board will urge the lands and buildings committee to arrange for the erection of a manual training school building. One floor of the proposed building will be devoted to the use of the High school battalion as a drill shed.

Louis Alexander,

tailor, 85 Central street, is having his semi-annual clearance sale to make room for new fall styles. Bargains in crash, golf, bicycle suits and all summer goods.

Free Silver

May mean a great deal to some people, but it is a small thing compared to the large amount of free presents we give to purchasers of our high grade teas and coffees. DICKSON BROS., 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Colwell DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

MAY BE LYNCHED

A Negro Kills a Woman Near Washington.

THE CULPRIT CONFESSES HIS FOUL CRIME.

But His Stories Do Not Agree in Detail.

Washington, July 30.—A coroner's jury yesterday found James Smith, a negro waiter guilty of the murder Tuesday night of Marguerite Drown at Seat Pleasant, a large country boarding house about eight miles from Washington, and late developments in the case have added so much horror to the crime that there are numerous threats of another Maryland lynching as soon as a convenient opportunity occurs. Smith was arrested by the Washington police yesterday in the northeastern part of the city, and in view of the excited condition of the people of Prince George's county, probably will be held until formal requisition is made, in order to permit the excitement to partly allayed. The negro made two confessions, partly contradictory, but each admitting the murder. In his first confession, he said that he had been intimate with the murdered girl, for whose foster mother he had worked several years; that Mrs. Drown had discovered the fact and had discharged him, but had re-employed him on his and the girl's promise to cease such relations, and that he cut Miss Drown's throat on Tuesday because she rejected advances he had made to her again.

In his second confession, he declared that he had not told the truth when he asserted that he had relations with the girl, and denied that he had outraged as well as murdered her, but also stated that he had gone to her room for the purpose of making advances to her, had been repulsed, had choked her into unconsciousness and then had procured a knife from the kitchen and killed her. The developments at the coroner's inquest tended to discredit the more revolting part of the negro's first confession.

Mrs. Drown, the foster mother of the dead girl, testified that Marguerite had complained to her last Thursday that Smith had attempted to kiss her. Several of the servants also swore that the girl had called them and had made complaint that Smith was attempting to kiss her. Mrs. Drown, in explanation of Smith's continued employment after this occurrence, said that Smith immediately after it, left the house, but came back the next day, professed to be exceedingly penitent and begged to be re-employed. He had been a good servant for years, and she had finally agreed to let him come back. On the day of the murder, she and Dr. Miller, a boarder, had driven into town, leaving the girl at home with the servants. The latter swore that they heard a noise upstairs in the girl's room loud enough to attract attention, but said they could not tell whether it was a laugh or a cry. A little later Smith came down, and in answer to questions said that the noise they had heard was Miss Marguerite laughing at a story he had told her. He had a small basket on his arm, and at once left the house, saying he was going to a neighbor's for some eggs.

The doctor who performed the autopsy said that his examination of the body showed that the girl first had been knocked down and rendered unconscious by a blow on the forehead, that she had then been outraged, and later killed by the severing of the windpipe and jugular vein.

The jury promptly returned its verdict in accordance with this evidence. The negro servants about the place were held in custody, on suspicion that they knew more of the affair than was disclosed in their testimony.

Wild Storms Continue.

Cincinnati, July 30.—A tornado struck Sydney and vicinity last evening. The hills protected the city, but houses were unroofed and trees were twisted off. It was worse in the country, but not loss of life has thus far been reported. South Charleston was also visited by a most destructive wind and rain storm. Trees were uprooted, fences prostrated, and many bridges swept away. Crops have been made worthless.

Non-Union Men Assaulted.

Lynn, Mass., July 30.—When the non-union workmen in the Plant shoe factory left work at 6 o'clock last evening, fully 2000 people were in waiting. Three of the workmen were followed to their boarding house, and before police assistance could be obtained two of the men were badly assaulted. Arrests are expected.

In Memory of Long Ago.

Ipswich, Mass., July 30.—The memorial tablets in honor of Ezekiel Cheever, Rev. Nathaniel Ward, Richard Saltonstall and Rev. Nathaniel Rogers, the distinguished men of Ipswich, who lived in the 17th century, were unveiled here yesterday afternoon. The exercises were attended by a large crowd.

Hot Weather In Kentucky.

Louisville, July 30.—The present hot spell has broken the record for the past 15 years. Tuesday the thermometer registered 95.05, and yesterday it registered 98 degrees. Two deaths, due to the heat, are reported, and there have been numerous prostrations.

Wind and Rain.

Huntington, Ind., July 30.—A tornado yesterday afternoon damaged many buildings here, twisting off trees and rendering worthless many fields of corn and oats. It was accompanied by a deluging rain.

Isn't This Jealousy?

Berlin, July 30.—The Neuste Nachrichten, in attacking the existing regime in Samoa, declares that English and American wirepullers are undermining Germany's influence, and are doing their best to foment discord. Peace and order, says this journal, will never be restored till England and America are induced to renounce their share in the Condominium. The article then appeals to the German government to sweep away the pernicious conditions prevailing in Samoa.

Beecham's pills for constipation 10¢ and 25¢. Get the book at your druggist's and go by it.

Annual sales more than 6,000,000 boxes.

BEFORE THE LORDS.

Irish Land Bill Wriggles Through the House of Commons.

London, July 30.—The Irish land bill was taken up on its third reading in the house of commons yesterday. Arthur Smith-Barry, a well known Irish landlord, who defeated the National league in its great tenants' fight, moved that the measure be rejected, owing to the concessions that had been made to the tenants by the government. The vote on the motion to reject the bill was then voted on, and defeated. The measure then passed its third reading without a division being taken. The bill was presented in the house of lords at 5:30 o'clock, and passed its first reading.

The new Irish land bill, which was introduced in the house of commons on April 13, provided for facilitating the purchase of the holdings, and prevents the lessee from having rent levies on his improvements. It also embodies the most non-contentious proposals of the Irish land bill of 1895, and modifies other propositions. The new measure provides that the tenant, on the payment of two years' arrears, shall be deemed to be in just possession of his holdings, leaving the landlord to recover the remainder of the arrears in the ordinary way. There is no alteration in the statutory term of 15 years for fixing a fair rent. Purchase will not be compulsory, the terms for the repayment will be extended from 49 years to over 70 years, and relief will be given to the tenants toward the end of their tenancy payments, decreasing with the length of tenancy, enabling every purchaser to buy in less than 20 years' purchase. At the start there will be 20 per cent less rent than now paid, and the tenants will also be relieved of 10 per cent during the first 30 years. The new bill also extends the powers of the congested districts board, and enables it to borrow to the extent of £1,500,000 ($7,500,000). In regard to evicted tenants, the government could not consent to the use of public money for them, believing it should come from private sources, but it announced its willingness to re-enact the clause of the land act for a year, and so act as a mediator.

Italians Badly Scared.

Zurich, July 30.—The Italians in this town are in a state of panic, in consequence of the riots growing out of the killing of a Swiss by an Italian, and the attack on the Italian quarter, in which serious excesses were committed. Landlords who have Italians for tenants, fearing that damage may be done to their property, are putting the Italians into the streets by wholesale, and hundreds of them are sleeping in the forests adjacent to the town, about bivouac fires, with sentries to guard against an attack. The troops occupy the streets of the town, but there is a general exodus of Italians, and 6000 of them are besieging the railway stations to get away.

Movements of Warships.

Washington, July 30.—The Minneapolis has arrived at Leith, the Marblehead at Catania, the Bancroft at Bridgeport, Conn., and the Monadnock at Port Angeles. The Marion has sailed from Panama for Callao, and the Essex from Funchal for Gardiner's bay.

Suicide With Poison.

Hartford, July 30.—Stella Porter, aged 25 years, who occupied a room on the upper floor of the Charter Oak bank building, committed suicide by taking poison yesterday. Her room was poorly furnished, and it is thought despondency induced the crime.

Track Record Lowered.

Concord, N. H., July 30.—The New England half-mile track record was lowered from 2:12¾ to 2:11¾ at the Capitol Driving park. Gil Curry, driven by Ham Brock, made the former record in 1894 at Brockton. Yesterday he cut the mark with the game and veteran pacer, Barney.

BASE BALL.

Ed. Flanagan is to be released by Lewiston.

McCarthy, the well known pitcher, is home.

The Monarchs have organized for the season, and would like to hear from all nines under 16 years of age. Send all challenges to John Smith, 117 Chapel street.

There will be a meeting of the league in this office this evening.

The principal game Saturday will be that of the Unions and the Florence team at the Cricket Grounds.

The Monarch base ball team want to hear from 16 year old teams. Address, John Smith, 111 Chapel street.

Games Yesterday.

At Boston—Baltimore, 7; Boston, 6.
At Cincinnati—Cleveland, 6; Cincinnati, 1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 15; New York, 9.
At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5; Louisville, 4.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 0.
At Pittsburg—Chicago, 9; Pittsburg, 5.
At New Bedford—Pawtucket, 6; New Bedford, 5.
At Bangor—Bangor, 13; Lewiston, 2.
At Augusta—Portland, 6; Augusta, 5.
At Brockton—Brockton, 12; Fall River, 9.

MATRIMONIAL.

Mr. Edward T. Wilder of Newton and Miss Alice P. Dexter were united in marriage last evening by Rev. W. H. O. Millington, at the residence of the bride's father, Henry C. Dexter, 15 Dutton street. The bride was attired in white muslin. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder left on a trip to the Provinces. They will be at home to friends after Oct. 15.

Injured by a Runaway.

A. N. Stevens, who formerly kept a stable in Second street, was injured in a runaway accident in Hudson yesterday. The horse broke its foreleg and had to be killed.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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And why not a pie-pusher as well as a coffee-pusher? It's far more necessary. Do you suffer with dyspepsia? Ayer's Cathartic Pills will cure you. Take a

PILL AFTER PIE.

ONLY WASTE TIME

Socialist Labor Congress is Still Wrangling.

THE QUESTION OF CREDENTIALS STILL UNSETTLED.

All New Business May be Shut Off.

London, July 30.—The sessions of the International Socialist and Trades Union congress were resumed yesterday, with Chairman Hyndman presiding. In his opening address the chairman begged the delegates to maintain order, pointing out that their enemies were deriving considerable satisfaction from the apparent inability of the congress to conduct its business.

Discussion was then resumed with the question of admitting the French Socialist members of the chamber of deputies MM. Jaures, Milleraud and Viviani, it being claimed by the delegates who objected to their presence that they did not represent the French peasantry, and that they were not properly accredited.

The congress, after a great deal of wrangling, referred the credentials of M. Jaures and his companions to the French delegates.

The discussion of the credentials of other delegates who had been objected to was then commenced, and continued amid much interruption. Many delegates from secret societies of Russia and Poland were admitted.

The admission of the Russian and Polish delegates was the signal for another disturbance. Kantsky, one of the Polish delegates, was openly denounced as a suspicious character, and the person who made the denunciation added that it was well known that Kantsky had been in communication with a notorious police spy. Thereupon Kantsky sprang to his feet and fiercely protested his innocence, claiming that he was a well accredited delegate and that he had a right to take part in the deliberations. Several hot speeches for and against his admission were made, and the congress decided, after a very noisy scene, to expel him.

Kantsky was hustled out of the hall, vowing vengeance against the man who had denounced him, and loudly protesting his innocence of any connection with the Russian police.

A suggestion was then made to the and take a photograph of the delegates, that a photographer who was present be allowed to come upon the platform and take a photograph of the delegates and later a photograph of the officers and chiefs of sections.

The proposition, however, raised a strong protest from the foreign delegates, who announced that they had the most decided objections to being photographed, apparently fearing that this might be some trap set for them by the police.

It required the whole of the remainder of the sitting to decide the claims of the French delegates to seats, eight delegates having in the meantime developed a difference in their own ranks. They were finally admitted only on terms of division and disagreement among themselves.

The proposal made by M. Milleraud, on behalf of the French delegates, was to allow them to divide into two sections, as they disagreed upon important questions. This immediately precipitated a tumultuous discussion, and great excitement and loud shouting ensued amongst the delegates.

Chairman Hyndman finally suggested that one delegate should speak for, and another against, the proposal. He then asked M. Milleraud to speak, but it was finally another half an hour before the French Socialist deputy could obtain a hearing. When he finally succeeded in making himself heard, he denounced the anarchists, and declared that his section would withdraw from the congress if the anarchists were allowed to take part in its proceedings.

Another tremendous uproar, on the floor immediately followed, and mutual recriminations were hurled back and forth between the different French sections. The chairman was utterly powerless to control the situation, or to put a stop to the noise, and the delegates went on yelling and waving their arms and denouncing each other, while no one could possibly hear what anyone else was saying, and the tenor of the remarks could be judged from the fierce gestures and threatening demeanor of the shouters.

An American delegate, in the midst of the din, shouted out in a voice that could be heard, that the Americans sided with the French minority and against the anarchists. This again aroused the French majority, who, however, only imperfectly understood what the American said, and they shouted themselves hoarse in repudiating what they thought was a charge that they were anarchists.

The English delegates took no very active part in the disturbance, but simply regarded the scene with stupefied dismay.

When the uproar had somewhat subsided, the Belgian vandeveldt opposed the division of the Frenchmen, which caused renewed disorder.

It was only when the delegates were entirely exhausted, with shouting at the top of their voices, that a vote was taken by nationalities on M. Milleraud's proposition. It was decided, by a vote of 14 to 5, to allow the Frenchmen to divide.

The congress then adjourned, after the sitting had lasted for seven hours, amid constant turbulence and disorder, and little comprehension among the participants of what was being said or of the course of business.

Three days of the congress have now already been wasted on the consideration of the credentials of delegates, and this business has not yet been finished. As the congress is to adjourn on Saturday morning, it looks as though the closing would come without its having reached any real business at all.

PROBABLY FATAL SHOCK

JAMES J. MOUNTAIN MEETS SEVERE ACCIDENT.

He Is in a Critical Condition at the Lowell Hospital.

James J. Mountain, floor walker of A. G. Pollard & Co. met with a peculiar accident last evening, which, it is feared, will result fatally.

Last evening just before six o'clock he had occasion to climb a step ladder and in some manner received a shock from an electric wire and was thrown to the floor. When his fellow employes picked him up he appeared to be dazed though he went to his home on Wilton avenue.

Dr. Sargent was called to attend him and found that Mountain was suffering from what appeared to be a fractured skull. He was removed to the corporation hospital where he remained unconscious all night.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

There were nine drunks and Frank McLaughlin was among them. He was sent to jail for 4 months but appealed and was held in $200.

Patrick F. Holland, a common drunkard got 5 months in jail.

Frank McNamara, charged with assault and battery on Mary McNamara, was placed on probation till Aug. 20.

Esther Ruff had George Head on a charge of assault and battery and the case was continued till tomorrow for trial.

James Henry was charged with using profane language and was dismissed.

Lord's Day Congress.

A meeting of the committee of clergymen appointed to arrange for a Lord's day congress was due at the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday, but only two members appeared. The probability is that a convention will be held Oct. 21.

George Hubbard Will Go to Maine.

George L. Hubbard, the well-known real estate man will start this week on a vacation which he will spend down in Maine. George is quite an expert at angling, and is considered a good shot with a gun; so after his arrival at the fishing grounds, his friends may expect samples of the finny tribe which he beguiles from their watery home.

The rain today put a stop to sewer work.

COMPLEXION POWDER Is an absolute necessity of refined toilet in this climate. Pozzoni's combines every element of beauty and purity.

LIGHT ON FREE SILVER

THE MEANING OF TERMS AND RATIOS EXPLAINED

By the Director of the Mint at Philadelphia—Exact Figures That Should be Remembered.

Mr. Editor: I think I cannot give you more accurate information upon the value weight and ratio of gold and silver dollars than is contained in the following:

Mint Director Preston of Philadelphia has made the following simple and comprehensive statement in regard to the coinage ratio between gold and silver in response to frequent inquiries upon that point:

All standard silver dollars coined by the mints of the United States since the passage of the act of January 18, 1873, have been coined in the ratio of 1 to 15.9884, generally called the ratio of 1 to 16—15.9884 being very nearly 16. Still, to reach accurate results, the former and not the latter figure must be used in calculation. The ratio is obtained in this way:

The silver dollar contains 371.25 grains of pure silver and the gold dollar 23.22 grains of pure gold. If you divide 371.25 by 23.22, you will get the ratio of weight between a gold dollar and a silver dollar—that is 15.9884. It is true that to be on a par with gold, silver would (at our ratio) be worth $1.2929. The reason is this, a gold dollar contains 23.22 grains of pure gold. In an ounce, or 480 grains of gold, there are as many dollars as 23.22 is contained times in 480, or one ounce. If you divide 480 by 23.22, you get $20.67, the number of dollars that can be coined out of an ounce of pure gold; in other words, the money equivalent of one ounce of gold or of 15.9884 ounces of silver, the ratio of 1 to 15.9884. Now, if 15.9884 ounces of silver would be worth $20.67, one ounce will be worth $1.2929, as you can prove by simple division. The same result is obtained by dividing 480 grains or one ounce of silver by 371.25, the number of grains of pure silver in a standard silver dollar at the ratio of of 1 to 15.9884, which gives $1.2929.

Sixteen ounces of pure silver will coin a little more than one ounce of gold; 15.9884 ounces of silver will coin exactly the same amount of money as one ounce of gold—that is $20.67. You can prove this by dividing 15.9884 ounces by 371.25 grains. The operation is as follows: 15.9884, multiplied by 480, divided by 371.25 equals 20.674.

It is not true that sixteen ounces of silver will coin only $16.80 at the ratio of 1 to 16.

As will be seen above, one ounce of silver will coin $1.2929. Multiplying $1.2929 by 16 gives $20.68. You can make the result in another way: 16 ounces troy or 7680 grains, divided by 371.25, gives the number of silver dollars that can be coined out of 16 ounces of silver; 7680 divided by 371.25, equals 20.68.

Mr. Preston has also furnished answers to the following important questions:

First. What is meant by the free coinage of silver?

Answer. The right of individuals to deposit standard silver in any amount at the mints and have it coined into full legal tender coins.

Second. What is meant by the ratio 16 to 1?

Answer. The ratio of coinage of 16 to 1 means that sixteen ounces of pure silver coined shall have the same value as one ounce of pure gold coined, namely, $20.67.

Third. What is meant by bimetallism?

Answer. The unlimited coinage of both gold and silver, on private account, into full legal tender coins.

Fourth. What is meant by single standard, gold or silver?

Answer. That only one metal shall be coined on private account into full legal tender coins, and that only the favored metal shall be coined without limit.

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DIVISION 8, A. O. H.

Held Their Picnic at Lynn Beach, Yesterday.

Division 8, A. O. H., of this city, had a largely attended picnic at Lynn beach, yesterday. Over 500 people representing all the local divisions, attended, returning on the late cars.

Dinner was served at the Nahant and Bay View hotels. Dancing began at 2 o'clock and continued through the afternoon. The managers of the affair were: General manager, Thomas J. O. McGuire; assistant, John Murray; floor director, Michael McCoy; assistant, Michael Cassidy; chief aid, John J. O'Neil.

Swimming Match.

Charles Brown and William Chase, two local swimmers, swam around Willow Dale pond yesterday morning, starting and finishing at Mountain Rock. It took them 1 hour 55 minutes. Edward Lamson followed them in a boat.

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin, no matter of how long standing.

WARNED OF DANGER.

Lowell Fishermen Advised to Seek Shelter in Boston Harbor.

The fishing party composed of prominent French residents who left this city for the Salem fishing grounds, Tuesday morning, was not caught in the heavy storm of yesterday morning.

During the day the boat was signalled that a dangerous storm was coming up, and warned them to put into the harbor. They heeded the warning, and were safe from the dangers of the storm.

Some of the party returned on Tuesday night while the others remained.

Water Backed in from Sewers.

Water from two sewers in Cross street backed into the foundation bed of the Working Girls' home after the heavy rain yesterday morning and the men were kept busy all day pumping out the water. All other work had to be suspended.

Fell From an Apple Tree.

Mr. Linhurst, residing at 67 Liberty street, was picking apples from a tree in his yard last evening, when the limb broke and he fell a distance of twenty feet, breaking three ribs. He was taken into the house and Dr. Ricker dressed his injuries.

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Of high prices and come out fair and square for low prices for the summer months.

Everything in our large market is marked down fully 25 to 30 per cent.

Our vegetables we receive direct from our large farm in Wilmington, Mass.

The berry season is with us. We are selling Fresh Native BLUEBERRIES 10c. per box. Large quantities much lower.

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CENTRAL STREET.

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Of Ladies' Capes, Jackets, All-Wool Outing Suits, Wash Suits, Separate Skirts, Silk Waists and Laundered Shirt Waists

$10, $12.50 and $14 Capes $5 each to close.
$6, $8, and $10 Jackets $3.50 each to close.
$12.50 and $14 all-wool Outing Suits $7.98 each.
$3.50 Wash Suits $1.50 to close.
$4.50 Wash Suits $2.50 to close.
$1.50 Separate Skirts 97c. to close.
$2.50 Separate Skirts $1.25 to close.
$3.50 Separate Skirts $2.50 to close.
$5.00 Separate Skirts $3.35 to close.
50c. Laundered Shirt Waists 25c. to close.
69c. Laundered Shirt Waists 38c. to close.
$1.00 Laundered Shirt Waists 50c. to close.
$1.75 and $2 Laundered Shirt Waists $1 to close.

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$1.25 Check Waist, like cut, 49c.

CRASH, LINEN AND DUCK SKIRTS.
$2.00 Linen Skirts, now $1.39.
$2.50 Pure Crash Skirts, now $1.49.
$3.00 Pure Crash Skirts, now $1.98.
$4.00 Pure Crash Skirts, now $2.49.
$2.50 White Duck Skirts, now $1.49.
$3.00 White Duck Skirts, now $1.98.

SUMMER SUITS
In Crash, Linen, Pique and Duck.
$6.00 Suits in Crash, now $2.98.
$7.00 Suits in Linen, now $3.47.
$8.50 Suits in Crash, now $3.98.
$5.00 Suits in Pique, now $2.47.

SHIRT WAISTS—Nobbiest Styles.
69c. and 75c. Waists, now 25c.
$1.00 and $1.25 Waists, now 49c.
$1.50 and $1.75 Waists, now 65c.
$2.00 and $2.50 Waists, now 98c.
1 lot White Soft Waists, now 49c., 75c. and 98c., down from $1 to $2.
1 lot new Fronts in Linen effects, were $1.25 and $1.50, now 75c.

WRAPPERS AND TEA GOWNS.
$1.00 Lawn Wrappers in white and colors, now 50c.
$3.00 Fancy Lawn Wrappers, $1.49.
$3.75 Fancy Lawn Tea Gowns, $1.98.
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All marked down. Good values 49c. to $1.98, down from $1 to $2.50.

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8 to 12 year sizes at 50c. on the dollar.

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In Plain and Figured Brilliantines, Mohairs, Stellians, Checks and Plaids.
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Our entire line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets marked down from 50 to 60 per cent.

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In Cloth, Silk or Velvet. Prices very low. Good Capes from $1.19 to $5. Actual values $2 to $10.

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